

OUTLOOK OF BRITISH EMPIRE FOR COMING YEAR RATHER SOMBRE

Many Problems are Pressing for Solution on Every Hand—Ireland and Unemployment Big Questions at Home—Dealings with U. S. Require Careful Handling.

(By The Associated Press)
LONDON, Dec. 30.—Britain's outlook for 1921 is pictured in rather sombre colors by the politicians, economists, financiers and labor leaders. At home two outstanding problems—unemployment and Ireland—have baffled the government while it is also besieged by many results of the war including a vigorous newspaper campaign against so-called government extravagance.

In the foreign field looking eastward, there is the perplexing problem of settling the Palestine boundary promising some pointed exchanges of opinion with France; Mesopotamia, with its huge expense and its oil; the ever present Persian difficulties which the last agreement has not allayed; India, which is in a greater state of unrest, and for years requiring an exceptionally large garrison; Russia, with her trade proposals, which have caused a split in the British cabinet, and the uncertain Greek situation.

Officials believe that within the next twelve months important dealings between Great Britain and the United States will necessitate most careful handling.

Negotiations between the two countries have been almost dormant since the political conventions in the United States.

Problems Press for Solution
There is a desire to clear up the oil question which has been the subject of a long series of communications on the question as to the extent to which the United States shall participate in the world petroleum supply, much of which is under British mandate. It is believed however that considerable more negotiating is necessary before an agreement is reached.

Settlement of cable control also offers many perplexities particularly in that the United States is continually reaching farther for world trade. Shipping experts and officials are of the opinion that the new mercantile marine of the United States is likely to bring up a question of adroit diplomacy and point to Secretary Daniels' announcement of a big naval program as the forerunner for shipping differences.

Officials here have not desired to push these questions to a settlement until the advent of the new American administration but hope to get them under way soon after March 4.

While the government is being seriously pressed on one side to cease enormous expenditure it is besieged on the other with demands for unemployment funds, cash for housing schemes and other post war expenditures which will require of reduction in the burden of taxation.

Some Relief Promised
Some relief is promised in reduced cost of living except in the price of food which rose steadily during 1920. With industry hard hit and a million jobless, merchants who had been holding commodities for high prices are expected to continue to dump their goods at a loss. This has caused slight reductions during the latter weeks of the old year.

As the year opens, the Lloyd George government is maintaining a firm hold and there is little evidence that any of the many small factions in parliament, either separately or in concerted actions, is able to defeat the cabinet and force general elections. The cabinet ministers as they pass between their offices and parliament see evidence of unrest.

Strong, police barricades still obstruct the approaches to government buildings and the huge iron gates at the entrances to some of the buildings are kept closed. This is done the government announced because it feared a Sinn Fein outbreak but it is known that it considered the ill effect Bolshevik agitators might have on the respective minds of the unemployed.

SOMETHING WRONG WITH THIS PRINTER
Sumter, S. C., Dec. 30.—P. Frank Haddon, Linotype operator on the Sumter Times made what is believed here to be world's record in setting type on a Linotype machine. In six hours he set 69,286 ems using a seven point on eight point slug and a 13 em measure.

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The protocol provides that the statute of the court shall become effective as soon as a majority of the nations represented in the League assembly namely 22, shall have signed and ratified it in their various parliaments. Four nations, Portugal, Switzerland, Denmark and Salvador, also have signed the protocol for compulsory arbitration.

TELLS ROTARIANS OPEN SHOP FOUNDED ON AMERICANISM

Secretary of Labor Should Represent All Classes

FOREIGNERS ARE BIG FACTOR

(By The Associated Press)
MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Dec. 30.—The open shop is founded on the principle of Americanism and was established more than a century ago while the closed shop is advocated by those who are the apostles of violence and force, in the opinion of John Glenn, secretary of the Illinois Manufacturers' association, speaking here today before the Rotary Club.

Elimination of labor bosses was declared to be one of the means of clearing the industrial situation and the influence of public opinion Mr. Glenn said would be the ruling factor in final settlement of industrial controversy.

"There are two things which have much to do with the present situation," he declared, "one is whether Senator Harding will appoint man for secretary of labor who carries a union card and the other is whether congress will reverse immigration. The final action will have considerable to do with the success or failure of the open shop movement. We do not believe a man who carries a union card and claims to represent two million so-called union men will make as good secretary of labor as a man who represents all the people of the United States."

"We do not think a man should be named as secretary of commerce who will regard the interests of the manufacturers paramount to those of the farmer, banker, wage earner or any other class of society. Congress is in a panic just now in reference to immigration. Do you know what would happen if congress closed the gates for a year? Mr. William Barr president of the inter-racial council says

Foreigners Big Factors
"Those of foreign birth and parentage represent only one third of the people of the United States yet they mine three fourths of the coal, manufacture three fourths of the clothing, half of the silk, wool, linen, lace and embroidered goods; bake more than half the bread, refine more than half the sugar and put up half of the canned food."

"In my judgement there is only one thing to do with immigration and that is to keep out the criminals and undesirables."

LUMBER MILLS MAKE WAGE REDUCTION

Cut of from 15 to 25 Per Cent Becomes Effective January 1—Prices at Lowest Level in Several Years.

(By The Associated Press)

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 30.—Wages cuts of 15 to 26 per cent in the lumber mills of the northwest will become effective January 1, or when mills now closed are re-opened it was announced today by the local branch of the Loyal Legion of Loggers and Lumbermen.

The wage reduction will affect sixty thousand workers.

The new scale is expected to be adopted by all mills, whether they are members of the Loyal Legion or not.

Under the new scale common labor will be reduced from \$4.40 to \$3.60 a day and skilled labor will receive a proportionate cut.

Lumber prices are at the lowest level in several years, manufacturers declared.

LAWRENCE F. KING HEADS SANITARY BOARD

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Trustees of the sanitary district of Chicago this afternoon voted to remove William J. Healy from the presidency of the board and chose Lawrence F. King, recently elected member of the board as the new president. Healy protesting the motions were out of order refused to surrender the president's chair and the meeting was adjourned with both claiming the consent of the bureau.

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U. O. C. DEFEATS PRINCETON FIVE

Chicago, Dec. 30.—The University of Chicago Five defeated Princeton 15 to 11 tonight in the first inter-sectional basketball game this season.

RAILROADS WILL HAVE TO ABIDE ANTI-TRUST ACT

Wilson Vetoes Bill for Delay of Operation

MUST MAKE DRASITC CHANGES

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Railroads of the country after tomorrow will be prohibited from buying equipment from companies in which they or their officers are interested as the result of the veto today by President Wilson of a bill to delay further the operation of such a prohibitory provision in the Clayton anti-trust act. The last of three separate two year suspensions of the prohibitory section expires tomorrow at midnight.

The president in announcing his veto threw a message to the senate declared the railroad had been given several extensions of time to prepare for observance of the law and that no adequate reasons had been presented for further postponement of its operation.

Will Mean Drastic Change

Railroad representatives on learning of the presidential veto which over rode a six to four recommendation of the interstate commerce commission that the bill be approved declared failure to suspend further the operation of the Clayton act provision would mean a drastic and immediate revision of carriers' system of buying equipment.

The contention also was made by the railroad representatives that the required change would add hundreds of thousands of dollars to the cost of railroad operation.

The president's veto message on receipt by the senate was read and left on the vice president's desk for future action.

Senate leaders said they could not determine immediately what would be done or when further action would come. Senator La Follette, Republican, Wisconsin, an opponent of the bill secured unanimous consent for postpone ment, probably until next week.

STREATOR RATE HEARING HAS BEEN DEFERRED

Petition For Rate Increase Continued Until Jan. 24

ASKS FOR FIFTY PER CENT RAISE

(By The Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—Hearing of the Streator Acreudent Company, of Streator, Ill., for permission to increase its water rates fifty per cent, was continued before the public utilities commission today until January 24, 1921.

The company contended that the increase was necessary because they were just breaking even for the year ending Dec. 31, 1920, and have no money with which to build a new dam to insure a larger water supply for the cities in the district.

The valuation of the company, at pre-war prices is \$640,000 and at present prices \$1,300,000 according to Daibney H. Maury, consulting engineer of the company who testified at the hearing today. The water supply of Streator, Danville and Decatur has been limited since Nov. 1, 1920, between the hours of 6 p.m. and 6 a.m., it was said.

FREIGHT ENGINE OFF TRACK DELAYS HUMMER

Ohio and California Taper off Practice for Game New Years Day—Great Crowd Will Witness Game.

(By The Associated Press)

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 30.—The University of California and Ohio State football squads today began tapering off their practice in preparation to their game here New Year's day. The coaches plan just enough practice to keep the players on edge for the contest and not enough to risk injuring a first line man thru further service scrimmages.

Football experts continue to express the opinion the result of the clash between the westerners and the middle westerners will be the ability of the bears to stop Pete Stinchcomb, All-American halfback.

At the same time, they declare unless the Buckeye line hold its own with the California wall, Stinchcomb will not "get loose" with the regularity he has displayed in the east.

Every effort is being made to speed up the handling of the crowd which seems likely to be the largest ever attending a football game in Southern California. Precautions are being taken against accident and against ticket scalping.

PROHIBITION CLERKS ARE UNDER ARREST

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Two women clerks in the federal prohibition directors office here and three men today were arrested charged with conspiracy to defraud the United States thru liquor withdrawal permits obtained by bribery.

The women are Mary Parkins and Regena Sasony and the men are Edward Donegan a Brooklyn contractor; Sigmund (Beansy) Rosenthal, and George R. Stibborn.

Assistant United States Attorney Cahill drew up the complaint and said to involve the offer of a \$6,500 bribe to the women.

Later the bribe was said to have amounted to \$21,500 "paid to the defendant's organization today" resulted in the district court for \$100,000 damages.

CAN TAKE DRIK FROM YOUR OWN TANK

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Use of corn alcohol to supplement gasoline as motor fuel was predicted today by S. C. Gilbert, speaking before the annual convention of the American Society of Agriculture.

HARDING WARNED NOT TO USE ANY OF VERSAILLES TREATY

Knox Says There Will Be Bitter Opposition

TALKS WITH HAYS AND DAUGHERTY

(By The Associated Press)

MARCEL CACHIN FRENCH DEPUTY EULOGIZES LENINE

Speech Tho Mild Creates Excitement in the Chamber

GOVERNMENT ACCEPTS CHALLENGE

(By The Associated Press)

PARIS, Dec. 30.—An overwhelming vote of confidence in the government in connection with the Tours socialist congress was given by the chamber of deputies this evening. The vote, which was 451 to 54, came after the gauntlet had been thrown down to the government by the new communist party of France, formed at the Tours congress and acceptance of the challenge on behalf of the government had been made by Minister of the Interior Steeg.

Deputy Marcel Cachin told the chamber that revolutionary efforts by the new communist party would continue, despite any action the government might take. In reply M. Steeg warned the revolutionary party that any attempt at revolution would be suppressed with all the means in the hands of the government.

The debate arose from an interpolation of M. Vailla, a Royalist deputy, who asked the government to explain why Clara Zetkin, member of the German reichstag and of the executive committee of the third International had been permitted to enter France and speak at the Tours congress.

The discussion gradually broadened into a debate on the general policy of the government toward immigration, the permitting of undesirables to enter France and allowing revolutionary propaganda by foreigners and French members of the communist party to proceed undisturbed.

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Mr. Harding's conference with Mr. Knox dove-tailed, with another of unusual importance in which the president-elect took up with his ranking political advisors. President Harry M. Daugherty and Will H. Hays, the problem of cabinet appointments.

One of the appointments foreshadowed for the future is that of secretary of state place for which Charles E. Hughes is understood to be under serious consideration.

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Most of the other posts will be filled later and those close to the president-elect say that nothing like a complete cabinet slate has yet been seriously considered.

Plans for the inauguration were also discussed by the president-elect and Mrs. Harding during the day with Mr. Hayes, Mr. Daugherty, Senator Knox and officials of the Washington inaugural committee. E. B. McLean, chairman of the committee and Jessie W. Smith its secretary, laid before Mr. Harding many suggestions for the ceremony which it was said would provide for an old time inaugural celebration on a scale never exceeded in the nation's history.

Reductions in Retail Prices Are Predicted

Merchants Will Have to Make a Cut in Their Prices

REASONABLE BUYING IS BEING URGED

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Reductions in retail prices after next week are predicted today by J. H. Tregoe, executive secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, today before the house census committee and brought forth vigorous objections from members of his committee.

"I decline to sit silent and let witnesses make wholesale charges of slander against one section of the United States," exclaimed Representative Larsen, Democrat, Georgia. "Let them confine themselves to facts within their personal knowledge and not rest their case upon hearsay reports."

Larsen Resents Charges
"I don't think so," Mr. Good replied. "If you had watched the spectacle of man after man in high position on the shipping board who knew nothing about the business in which he was engaged, except to know the amount of his salary you would not be ready to criticize the committee. We want them to commence to salvage some of these plants and materials and they must set to work. They have got to learn this business or get out of it."

"The committee feels that some ships should be sold, it feels that now is not the time to take money and loan it to any shipping board concern to build other ships because the money is likely to be lost. The committee feels that it has got to get behind the shipping board and compel it to sell its plants and equipment."

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Representative Larsen, rejoined with the assertion that the association was formed by certain white and negroes in the north to get back to conditions before primaries became general in the south when he said the negro vote was a marketable commodity.

The association, he added, maintained secret agents through the south to spread propaganda and was able to get out of the country.

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That's the biggest surprise of all that Pullman Co. employees should suggest a 20 per cent reduction in their wages. Perhaps when this new agreement has been made and the company has thus been saved a few million dollars, the public may get the benefit thru lowered Pullman rates. However, it must be remembered that the recent 50 per cent increase in Pullman rates was for the benefit of the railroads and not for the sleeping car company.

Members of the Illinois teachers association in proposing a state distributive fund of \$20,000,000 are asking for a very heavy increase. The fund has been \$6,000,000 and this is probably quite out of line with some other states where the educational program has made good progress. Nevertheless to jump the distributive fund so radically would place a big burden on taxpayers, who might resent it. For the most part,

taxpayers have been reasonably responsive to requests from school forces for increases to meet new conditions. The increase in the distributive fund should be made more gradually.

It is not surprising to note the statement of the city political writers that Governor-elect Small can name the next speaker of the Illinois General Assembly. Mr. Small and his associates are clearly in control of the state political situation that it would be surprising, indeed, if they did not have the ruling hand in the legislature.

But it is quite possible that the governor-elect may decide that the course of good politics is not to interfere in the speaker contest, and Mr. Small and his associates seem to know something about good politics.

THE RIGHT SPIRIT FOR STARTING THE NEW YEAR.

"Courage strengthens," says the editor of Forbes Magazine and then continues, "Fear weakens. Courage wins. Fear loses. Courage inspires the confidence of others. Fear invites their contempt. Banks will extend credit to the man who has faith in himself and his business. Sennit is contagious. Talk panic and you foster panic. Talk optimism and you inspire optimism. Keep your head and you stand a good chance of keeping your business. Lose your head and you are in danger of losing your business. The year 1920 opened with a blaze of blatant exuberance not justified by what manifestly lay ahead. The year 1921 is opening to the accompaniment of a funeral dirge not justified by the outlook."

FARM FOR RENT

I have a farm of 330 acres for rent about 18 miles southwest of Jacksonville, close to Manchester; 120 acres for corn or oats, the balance in good grass. Address 412 North Church street, Jacksonville.

Rippling Rhymes
By Walt Mason

1921

We greet the New Year with a smile, and say, "Take off your things, and come right in and stay awhile, and feel at home, by jings; for brand new years are quite in style, and every joy bell rings." Men always are sustained by hope, as down the world they tread, and though in darkness they may grope, they know there's light ahead; they're strong on optimistic dope, and say the past is dead. This spirit always is on deck whenever men abound; it saves their souls from ghastly wreck, and makes the world go round; and so no clever in the neck can silence or confound.

Old Twenty's weary course is run, so let him disappear; we turn to Nineteen-Twenty-one, and give a ringing cheer;

the new year's blitho and full of fun, the old one's on his bier. The old year's petered out and spent, and now we hail the new, and every dame and every gent enjoys a rosy view, and every dream that's worth a cent is likely to come true. This world would be a dismal place, a desert drear and vast, if man should always turn his face back to a troubous past, if he should after sorrow chase, and groan and stand agast. But human beings do not turn to sad things and forlorn; the ghosts of yesterday they spurn, and laugh away with scorn; the gods have taught them how to yearn for bright days yet unborn.

DINNER PARTY GIVEN AT LITERBERRY HOME

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Berry Entertain Friends at Dinner—Other News Items from Literberry and Vicinity.

Literberry, Dec. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Berry entertained a number of friends at dinner Wednesday, the event being especially in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Ratliff and daughter, who will soon depart for their home in Nebraska after an extended visit with relatives here. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Truman Ratliff and daughter; Mrs. David Blair and son of Chanderville; Mr. and Mrs. A. Ratliff and daughters, Mrs. Eliza Ratliff, Miss LuLu Henderson.

Miss Helen Young is spending the week end with her friend, Miss Evealee Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Young of Jacksonville spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pierce.

Miss Elizabeth Martin of Jacksonville is a week end guest at the home of Miss Thelma Liter.

D. K. McCarty has received word of the death of his brother, W. L. McCarty, whose death occurred at the family home in Aransas Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Young and family spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William White in the Grace Chapel neighborhood.

Democracy in Education.

Have we reached Democracy in education?

Certainly we are nearer to democracy in education than we ever were before. But it is also true that we are still very far from such a goal. In this paper I will not take the time to discuss democracy of the curriculum but will only have reference to equality of opportunity as it is determined by financial support. That children fortunate enough to be born in certain parts of our state have far better opportunities to obtain that education which they need, is a fact every one must acknowledge.

In this connection I recall my experience during the summer of 1911, while visiting the schools of Gary, Indiana. After an observation of the work that was being done during the day time we were invited to stay to see a demonstration of playground activities to be given that night. As I observed the children playing the various games and going thru various physical training exercises on the well lighted play grounds I could not help but think of the children on the clay knobs of southern Illinois. This experience might have been had by visiting various places within our own state. It raises the question: Why should such differences exist? The patriotic native born citizens of some parts of our state do not have the opportunities that children do who happen to have been born in parts where the property valuations are high.

These conditions seem to call very clearly and justly for legislation which will equalize the burdens of taxation and the educational opportunities in the several parts of the state. This of course means a greatly increased state distributable fund which I feel sure this organization should support. As you all know, this fund at present is six million dollars. Conservative soul may say it ought to be ten million dollars. The City Superintendents' Association and the State School Board Association have passed a resolution favoring twenty million dollars.

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HIGH SCHOOL AFFAIRS UNDER DISCUSSION

Principal Shafer of This City Made Address Thursday Before High School Section of Illinois Teachers' Association

B. F. Shafer, principal of the Jacksonville High School made an address before the High School division of the Illinois State Teachers' Association in Springfield Thursday morning.

Mr. Shafer discussed the subject: "Needed Legislation From the Viewpoint of the City High School."

A recent movement has made the obtaining of our requests more difficult. And that is the great cry for economy and the lowering of prices. But what is wise economy?

That which makes it necessary for us to pension our aged and attracts too few men and women of ability into the work of educating our future citizens? Surely not. Funds must be provided which will provide more than merely a living wage, which will attract men and women of ability into the profession and make, so far as possible, equal opportunities for education for the children in the various parts of the state.

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taxes. It is the beginning of a movement which may lead to the levying of a special tax for the support of continuation schools, another for kindergarten and so on.

There is a partial remedy for the city high school situation yet to be mentioned. This remedy is in the formation of a consolidated school district. Any number of adjoining districts, by a majority vote of all the legal voters in the districts concerned may consolidate themselves into one large district for purposes of school administration.

Recently this legislation has been held up in the supreme court for a decision as to its constitutionality. A decision permitting the law to stand as per enacted has been handed down, so this relief is again possible.

I cannot say just what the additional revenue would amount to but it is certain that some additional funds would be made available. Of course all the additional money would come by raising the tax rate of the adjoining districts. At first thought this seems to be a injustice to these districts unless a majority vote in the districts themselves has been in favor of consolidating. On the other hand most of these districts are now being taxed to pay the tuition of their eighth grade graduates who attend the city high school. But this tuition in no cases can be above the actual expense per student as against the fund for educational purposes. This does not help out the building fund at all. I can see no reason why a city should be expected to maintain a building in which the students of the neighboring districts may be educated. The many educational opportunities according to such consolidated districts seem to me to furnish ample returns for the money invested.

To my way of thinking the consolidated school district furnishes the very best organization for educational purposes than our law has to suggest. But it only affords a relief for smaller cities. I do not see how cities such as Springfield, Decatur and Rockford could benefit very much. However in cases where the relief is adopted the unit system with all its advantages is maintained.

As stated above the extent of this remedy is questionable. The districts taken in would be taxed at a higher rate but it is true the schools conducted for the children in these districts would cost more because better schools would be provided. If Jacksonville were to consolidate with merely the adjoining districts there would be added approximately two million dollars to the assessed valuation of the district and a little over fifty-three thousand dollars could be added to the school revenue. These districts are now collecting eight thousand one hundred and eighty-three dollars for their schools. Thus there would be added about forty five thousand dollars to the amount now collected for conducting schools in this territory.

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Fence and barb wire	Storm buggies
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See Bert Killam about fire insurance, representing old line American. Bell phone 758.

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Jan. 12—J. L. Henry,
mules, cattle and farm im-
plements. Woodson.
Jan. 18—Tom Bell, 3 mi.
south of Murrayville.
Jan. 26—Taken.
Feb. 9—L. A. Reed, Du-
rocs, southeast Jacksonville.
Feb. 17—Taken
Feb. 23—Taken.

WILL ATTEND EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCES

Dr. J. R. Harker will leave to-
night for New York City to at-
tend a series of educational
meetings to be held in that city
next week. Monday and Tues-
day the committee of church
boards of education will be in
session. This committee is made
up of the secretaries of boards of
education representing eighteen
churches, together with one other
representative from each of
the churches. Secretary Harris
and Dr. Harker are representa-
tives of the Methodist church on
this committee.

Wednesday and Thursday the
Methodist Educational associa-
tion will be in session. This orga-
nization is made up of the presi-
dents of Methodist colleges.
Beginning Thursday evening and
continuing thru Saturday, the asso-
ciation of American Colleges
will meet. The two associations
are to hold their sessions at
Hotel Astor.

Full size extra long
sleeves, Faultless Fitting
Shirts, half price today.
FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.

HOLIDAY AT THE POSTOFFICE

Saturday, Jan. 1st, New Year's
Day, will be observed as a holi-
day at the Post Office.

The office will be closed all day.
There will be no delivery, either
in the city, or on the rural
routes.

There will be one general col-
lection at 2 p. m., and a collection
in the business district at 5 p. m.
Outgoing mail will be dis-
patched as usual.

R. I. DUNLAP
Postmaster.

CITY AND COUNTY

Miss Catherine Hart of Win-
chester is visiting her aunt, Mrs.
Paul Sheppard on East North
street.

Henrietta Schweer of Bluffs
was calling on Jacksonville
friends yesterday.

Alfred Cox left for Evansville
Indiana, yesterday where he has
taken a position.

Miss Laura Conlee journeyed
to the city from Pisgah yesterday
to transact business with local
merchants.

Mrs. Ray Ragan has returned
to her home on East College avenue
after visiting her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. John Brown of Pal-
myra.

Mayor W. R. Turnbull of Waverly
was in the city on business
yesterday.

Miss Eunice Whitney of Alton
is in the city visiting with friends
C. I. Mudd and son were visitors
from Winchester Thursday.

Harold Hamm of Concord was
transacting business in the city
yesterday.

Arthur Doolin of Waverly
spent Thursday in the city on
business.

J. H. Dawson of Dixon spent
Thursday in the city looking after
business matters.

Ray Morgan was numbered
among the business visitors in
the city yesterday.

Ollie Mack for many years
chauffeur for Felix E. Farrell is
here from St. Louis for a brief
visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Brosins of
Wichita, Kans., were visitors in
the city yesterday.

Carl L. Durig of Champaign
was a business caller in the
city yesterday.

C. C. Bradley of Marion was
attending to business matters in
the city yesterday.

J. W. Robertson of Alexander
was a business visitor in the city
Thursday.

Miss Mary Long represented
Franklin in the city Thursday.

Zed Bell was here on business
from the Ebenezer neighborhood
Thursday.

Miss Helen Zachary was a city
shopper from the vicinity of
Orleans Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Zachary
were added to the list of city cal-
lers from Orleans yesterday.

Charles Cussins from Franklin
traded with local merchants yes-
terday.

Harry and Albert Ross from
east of here called on city mer-
chants yesterday.

E. Doyle had occasion to visit
the city from Franklin Thursday.

Harvey Smith called on city
friends from Orleans Thursday.

Edward Patterson from Joy
Prairie was called here on busi-
ness Thursday.

Creed Smith from the north
part of the county called on city
merchants yesterday.

Allan Smith from east of the
city was in the city Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Morris of
Nortonville are spending a few
days with friends and relatives in
this city.

Jerry Flynn from the Buckhorn
neighborhood traded with local
merchants Thursday.

Clarence Sowers of Prentiss
was here on business yesterday.

Mrs. L. A. Mason was a city
guest from Alexander Thursday.

W. J. Robinson of Alexander
called on city friends yesterday.

Charles Zachary called on city

merchants from Strawn Crossing
Thursday.

Miss Thelma Probasco of Pis-
gah is spending a few days with
relatives in this city.

Lloyd Cox of Orleans was a
business caller here Thursday.

Harden Bell returned to La
Harpe Thursday after a two weeks
visit with relatives and friends
here.

Joseph Dowell from Franklin
called here on business yesterday.

A. A. Curry from Pisgah was
added to the list of city callers
yesterday.

C. Jolly of Franklin called on
local merchants yesterday.

J. L. Chapman was a business
caller from Alexander Thursday.

C. S. Branch of Springfield was
a business visitor in the city yes-
terday.

Miss Mary Thornton of Pleasant
Hills called on city friends Thurs-
day.

Amos Coker, the auctioneer
from east of the city called on
local merchants yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Crawford
of Orleans were city shoppers
Thursday.

Mr. George Newman was a city
guest from the Asbury neighbor-
hood yesterday.

Henry Stewart from the region
of Orleans was here on business
Thursday.

M. R. Cox from the north part
of the county called on city friends
Thursday.

Irwin Welborne of Orleans was
a business caller here yesterday.

Cecil Burgess called on city mer-
chants from Orleans yesterday.

W. H. Mosley called on city
friends from Pisgah yesterday.

Thomas McGraw was up to the
city from Murrayville yesterday.

Walter Witham was a business
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BOY'S RECOVERY IS NOW THE TALK OF THE TOWN

Joseph Estrop, Age 16, Had Been in Poor Health All His Life—Gains 30 Pounds Taking Tanlac

"I have seen some strange and remarkable things in this world but I have never yet seen anything to equal the way Tanlac has restored my grandson's health and built him up," said Joseph Hertel, of Dawson Ill.

"Joseph is sixteen years old," he continued, "and everybody in Dawson knows what bad health he has been in all his life. His stomach was so badly disordered that he couldn't eat without being bothered with gas and shortness of breath, and at times he got so faint and smothery that he could not stand up. Often he had splitting headaches, and sometimes would get so dizzy that he fell flat wherever he happened to be, why it wasn't safe to let him go out alone."

"His kidneys worried him a lot and he complained of pains all over his body. He was awful (adv.)

nervous and trembly and got so weak the teacher had to send him home from school. He got down to where he weighed only fifty pounds, had to stay in bed most of the time and couldn't walk a step unless he caught hold of a chair or piece of furniture for support."

"Last February my twin brother, who had taken Tanlac with good results, got me to give it to Joseph. Well, it's a fact, he began to improve on the very first bottle. He commenced to eat better, his strength came back and he began to pick up in weight. To make a long story short, he is healthier now than he has ever been in all his life, eats anything without a bit of trouble and has actually gained thirty pounds. He plays baseball, goes fishing, in fact, does anything I ever did when I was a boy. This is what Tanlac has done for Joseph and anybody in Dawson will tell you the same thing."

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MISSIONARY SOCIETY HOLDS OPEN MEETING

Pisgah Presbyterian Church Organization Observes Fortieth Anniversary—Interesting Program at Home of Mrs. James Dobyns.

Forty years ago Thursday the Woman's Missionary Society of Pisgah Presbyterian church was organized at the home of Mrs. George Moore.

Last night the anniversary was fittingly observed at the home of Mrs. James Dobyns, east of the city. Thru the forty years of its existence the society has ever worked for the upbuilding of the church and the community and has been a great force for good.

More than one hundred gathered at the Dobyns home Thursday evening to celebrate the event. The home was tastefully decorated, the spirit of the Christmas season being expressed throughout.

Before the supper an impromptu program was given by the young people of the church, consisting of recitations and music. At 7 o'clock the company was served with a bountiful supper. This was in charge of a committee composed of Messengers W. T. Scott, Frank Drury, George Graff, James Cunningham and George Holley.

Following the supper the regular missionary program was carried out as follows:

Prelude—Miss Helen Holmes. Hymn, Joy to the World—Society.

Prayer—Dr. Thomas Smith. Song, Let the Savior In—Julia Holmes.

Report of Secretary—Miss Louise Bromley.

Reading of the Hymn, Watchman, What of the Night—Mrs. James Dobyns.

Piano—Miss Amy Smith.

History of Society—Mrs. James Dobyns.

Hymn, A Charge to Keep I Have—Society.

Missionary Letters—Mrs. Frank Drury.

Vocal Duet, Calvary—Clyde and Miss Matilda Richardson.

Thoughts of the New Year, When We Enter the Great New House—Mrs. W. T. Scott.

Closing Hymn, God Be With Us 'Til We Meet Again—Society.

The program was in charge of Mrs. James Holmes.

John J. Reeve left for Chicago last night on legal business.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE QUIETLY MARRIED

Oris Gray of Franklin and Miss Ula Yeck of Concord United in Marriage Thursday Night at Franklin.

The marriage of Oris Gray of Franklin and Miss Ula Yeck of Concord was solemnized at 10 o'clock Thursday evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. H. Kuntz, pastor of the Franklin Christian church, at his home in Franklin, and was witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gray of Alexander and Lester Henderson of Franklin. News of the marriage will come as a surprise to the many friends of the young people, who slipped quietly away and were married without announcing their intentions to anyone.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yeck of Concord and has spent all her life in that community. She graduated from the local high school and for the past two years has been a teacher in the Concord schools. She is a member of the Methodist church at Concord and has been active in church affairs.

Mr. Gray is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gray living five miles northeast of Franklin. He has for the past several years been occupied in farming, part of the time in the vicinity of Concord. Both Mr. and Mrs. Gray are well and favorably known in their home communities, and have the hearty good wishes of their friends at this time.

A unified program has been adopted by the Bible school superintendent and the pastor of the Christian church. The program for the morning services will be just 120 minutes in length. This will be divided into three periods. 1. Bible study for 50 minutes. 2. Social and devotional service 40 minutes and 3rd preaching service for 30 minutes. It is desired that the whole congregation be on time at 10 a.m. for the study period.

WOODSON

Mrs. Lucy Grunder is spending her holidays with friends in Green county.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Owings and little daughter, Elizabeth, returned from a visit with relatives at Pearl, last Monday.

S. J. Baxter is equipping the kitchen of the Christian church with new lavatory, hot water tank and toilet this week. There are four young ladies to be baptised next Sunday morning at the close of the sermon.

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These shoes have welt soles and half rubber heels. All sizes at \$5.90

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Special Men's Felt Boots Complete \$2.98

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Ladies high heel shoes welt soles, with black kid uppers, only \$4.90

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With sewed soles and light calf uppers. The same in black at \$4.90

Children's Hose, 35c 3 pairs \$1.00

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"After the Show, the Place to Go"

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ST. LOUIS DOCTOR IN CITY

Dr. P. H. Kennedy of the medical staff of Barnes Hospital, St. Louis, was in the city Thursday calling on friends.

WATCH MEETING TONIGHT

Watch meeting tonight at Central Christian church. Program at 8 o'clock. Rev. Collins and Dr Post will be the speakers.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

For Expectant Mothers

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Everyone who has used these fruits in the past knows them to be the most delicious, packed in cans, and all in extra heavy syrup. The kind of fruit you thought nothing of paying from 60c to 75c a can for. During this sale we are bringing them back even below pre-war prices. Large cans Libby or Delmonte Peaches, Pineapple, or Apricots, now, per can 39c

Assort a dozen, a case or more while they last and let us send them out.

SOAPS

P. & G. White Naphtha, 10 bars 77c
Best White Laundry, 10 bars 65c
Best Yellow Laundry, 10 bars 45c
Special Prices in Boxes

Palmolive Soap, dozen 95c
Hard Water Castile, 3 10c bars 23c
Sweet Heart Soap, 3 10c bars 23c
Large 20c cans Kraut, 5 cans 73c
Campbell's Tomato Soup 5 15c cans 63c
Campbell's Pork & Beans 5 15c cans 63c
Large 40c package Rolled Oats 32c
Macaroni, Spaghetti, Noodles
5 10c packages for 42c
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One 15c loaf New System Bread Free with each 2 lbs. of our Famous Nut Oleo at 35c per pound.

Brooms

50 dozen worth up to \$1. each; we do not want to invoice them; take your pick, each 49c

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Today's Special
33c Per Dozen
Good size, thin skinned and sweet

Sugar

Fine white granulated
10 pounds 98c
100 pounds \$9.65

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The famous "Atwood"
98c Dozen

Tangerines

Good size, 55c Dozen

Oysters

Solid Pack and Fresh
69c per quart
\$2.69 Gallon

Celery

Well bleached California
12½ and 15c stalk

Celery

Michigan hearts, tender
as can be, good size
bunches, 10c

Lemons

Lemons, California, good
size, 25c dozen
"Fine for rthat cold"

Potatoes

In 2½ bushel bags; extra
good quality, northern
stock, \$1.39 bushel.
Buy a Bag Now

Head Lettuce

Head Lettuce — Iceberg
"Hard as a Rock"
20 and 25c head

Apples

Fancy Grimes Golden
80c per Peck
Fancy Northern Spy
70c per Peck
Fancy Kings, 60c Peck
FANCY BOX APPLES
Wagoners today \$3.39
Per Box

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Our Famous Peaberry--worth 40c a lb. anywhere and as good as you pay 50c lb. for. 1000 lbs. to sell before we invoice (at cost) 29c lb. 29c lb. 29c lb.

Do not expect to buy this Famous Coffee for less than 37c after this sale is over.

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We have just received by fast express a shipment of high grade all wool suits, made by one of the foremost clothing houses in the country. These suits purchased after Christmas at cash for four stores are offered to you at practically half their value. Men's and young men's suits, single or double breasted models, silk lined or alpaca lined—The nationally famous

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Boys Blouses
In gray flannelette, sizes 6-15; dollar values, only 49c

Boys Overalls
A world beater in blue denim brownie; sizes 4-15, at only 49c

Boys Sheeplined Coats
Of moleskin, worth \$11.50, only \$7.40

Boys Wool Sweater Coats
In maroon and cardinal \$2.18
Boy Scout gauntlets, unlined 50c
Heavy lined black or gray 75c

Boys Shoes
Durable, with chrome soles, sizes 2 1/2 to 6, at per pair \$3.10

Boys Union Suits
Have ribbed or fleece lined at 98c

Boys Flannel Shirts
Boys military style flannel shirts, worth up to \$3.50 at only \$1.95

Men's Rain Coats
Goodyear Rubber Co.'s "Square Deal," in tan or dark gray; all sizes only \$4.75

Dress Gloves
Men's lined cape leather dress gloves at only pair 98c
They're worth twice that much

Army Web Belts
New, at only 35c
They are famous for durability

Mens' Felt Boots
First quality, \$5.00 value at pair \$3.85

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One buckle overshoe at only, pr \$1.98

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Well known "Master Biltrousers," as a permanent addition to our lines.

All wool blue serge worth \$8.50, at per pair \$5.85

Wool mixed serge—manipulated serges guaranteed fast colors at pair \$3.85

Highest grade flannel in blue, green or brown; ideal for young and old men; \$12.00 values, at pair \$7.95

Union Made Overalls

And jumpers; to clean them up while taking inventory at only \$1.25

Boys Rain Coats
Goodyear Rubber Co.'s "Square Deal," coats, all sizes, at only \$3.95

Leather Auto Gauntlets

Genuine leather auto gauntlet, unlined large style leather auto gauntlet, at only, per pair \$1.50

Jersey Gloves 19c

Cotton Socks 12c

Garrison Shoes
Arrived at last!—We have the regulation garrison shoe, light tan with extra heavy soles; king of them all, for length of service, at pair \$6.85

Officers Dress Shoes
Cordovan uppers, waterproof soles; a \$14.00 shoe to the public, at \$7.85

Munson Army Last Shoes
New shipment, all sizes, at \$3.95

Australian Wool Blankets
Arrived—Australian wool blankets in elegant blue, pink, tan and gray plaids, double bed size; \$7.50 value; size 66x80 at only per pair \$4.45

Nashua Wool Nap Blankets
While they last at \$3.65

All Wool Hose
New arrivals, at 3 pairs for \$1.00

Leather Lace Boots
All leather 16-in. boots in all sizes at \$9.45

Submarine Coats

A new shipment of these popular waterproof and cold proof coats just arrived.

Leather Mitts

Of all descriptions including triple lined genuine Cordovan mitts at lowest prices.

Buckskin Palm Gauntlets, calfskin backs, at only 75c

HENRY OAKES IS CALLED BY DEATH AT BLUFFS HOME

Prominent Scott County Banker and Business Man Died Thursday Morning, Funeral to be Held Tomorrow.

Bluffs, Dec. 30.—Henry Oakes, one of the most prominent residents of Bluffs, died at his home here at 2:40 o'clock this morning. Death came after a month's illness. A change for the worse in Mr. Oakes' condition was noted last Sunday, when he became unconscious. During the three remaining days of his life he never regained consciousness.

Mr. Oakes has been in failing health for the past four years, but until month ago he was not confined to bed.

He was educated in the neighborhood where he lived, and on Sept. 28, 1870, was married to Miss Emmeline Richardson, who lived at Point, near Jacksonville. To this union three children were born: Henry Oakes, Jr. ("Harry"), Mrs. Estelle Castle and Royal Oakes. Harry's tragic and sudden death from lightning two and one half years ago was a shock from which he never rallied. Altho calm and quiet this grief could not be laid aside and it was about this time that he began to decline in health.

In 1886 Mrs. Oakes passed to the life beyond, leaving behind the faithful and devoted husband and the three small children. On Dec. 28, 1887, he was united in marriage to Miss Emma Thompson of Bluffs. Two children were born to this union: Mrs. Emeline Robertson, Virginia, and Helen who is a student at the Woman's College in Jacksonville.

In the spring of 1871 Mr. Oakes laid out the town of Bluffs and later platted an addition in the original tract. In 1881, in company with his brother, Charles Oakes, he embarked in the grain business, under the firm name of H. and C. Oakes, with a branch establishment at Riggston, a business which they managed for a number of years.

Aside from the business he was a farmer and stock feeder and has been more than successful and has extensive investments in Scott, Morgan and other counties. Mr. Oakes was one of the true citizens who could be depended upon at all times to stand by the town of his creation.

Deceased was not a member of any church or organization but gave regularly and liberally toward the support and upkeep of the Methodist Protestant church, the church he loved and attended when his health permitted him to do so. Besides his faithful and dutiful wife he is survived by four children: Estelle Castle, Royal Oakes, Emmeline Robertson and Helen Oakes; four grandchildren, Leroy and Clarence Castle, Harold and Henry Warren Oakes. Also two great-grandchildren, Oakley and Vincent Castle. One brother Royal Oakes preceded him in death. One brother, Charles Oakes, president of the Bank of Bluffs, survives.

Funeral services will be held from the residence at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon and will be conducted by Rev. E. J. Rees, pastor of the M. P. church here.

CONCERT PROGRAM AT WINCHESTER CHURCH

Third Number in Lecture Course Given at Baptist Church Thursday Evening — Other Items of Interest From Winchester.

Winchester, Dec. 30.—The third number in the lecture course was given at the Baptist church Thursday night. The Porters from New York were the attraction and they were greeted by a large audience. These musicians have talent of high order and they found their audience last night a most appreciative one.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nelson have returned to their home in Chicago after a short visit here with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Nelson, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fortenback and son, Bobby of Canton are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Townsend during the holidays.

Miss Ada Smith of Carrollton arrived Thursday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Smith.

Melvin Murray has returned home from Quincy where he went to visit his mother, who is critically ill.

County Superintendent of Schools Miss Olive Wells and City Supt. C. W. Smith are attending the State teachers convention in Springfield.

Mrs. Moore of Bluffs was a Winchester visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Bishop, daughter and son of St. Louis were guests Christmas day at the home of their daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde North.

CRUSHED PRICES BEYOND HISTORY'S RECORD LADIES FINE PERCALE HOUSE DRESSES, \$2.75 AND \$3.25 AT HERMAN'S BIG SALE.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—House girl at Old People's Home, 12-31-1f

LOST—A tall off a dark brown fur. Finder please leave at Journal office or call III. phone 50-1404.

FOUND—Automobile radiator cap. Owner can have same at 723 North Fayette street by paying for advertisement.

12-31-1t

PUBLIC SALES

LAST YEAR—Any one could "cry a sale;" it was no effort to sell anything a person might wish to dispose of.

THIS YEAR—It's different, that's all; people are not buying as readily; they must be convinced by sound argument that an article offered possesses intrinsic value "worth the money."

YOUR SALE—To succeed must be "cried" by an experienced salesman, one who knows values, one who can present those values to the crowd in a convincing and assuring manner, one who knows sale crowds.

I QUALIFY—By reason of training, experience, and past record, I have many sales booked. See me at once for open dates.

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We wish to take this opportunity to thank you for the courtesies extended during the past year and to assure you that our appreciation is heartfelt.

We have just passed from one of the busiest and most insane eras in the history of the world and what could be better than to have this Christmas start us off on the same way of living as we did in the good old time previous to the war. Everything is now drifting toward a normal basis and in just a short time we will be doing business as we did before, when contentment will reign with the manufacturer, buyer, seller and consumer. The period of restlessness is drawing to a close.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, we are

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Use Your Christmas Money to Purchase a HOOSIER CABINET

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SAVES MILES OF STEPS

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Can be had on
Easy Payment
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Price has
been reduced
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Records
Something every member of the family can enjoy.

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Your DOLLAR Has More CENTS at the

Army Goods Store

"We Have Come to Stay" 12 West Side Square

Pay Up Days
Your prompt attention
to the settlement of your
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Hopper & Son
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FAMINE-STRICKEN CHINA'S CALL FOR HELP

Between 40,000,000 and 50,000,000 of the Chinese in five provinces are threatened by famine. Our missionaries in China and our consular representatives have united in submitting the cause of China to the sympathy of the American people, whose friendship for China in the past has caused that nation to appeal to us for succor in the present emergency. President Wilson has personally written, expressing his cordial approval of the Christian Herald Famine Fund and the work it has undertaken, and our State Department has kindly consented to transmit the funds.

This is the greatest benevolent enterprise, dealing with a single nation, which has occurred in the world's history. We submit it to the generous consideration of the noble-hearted American people, who have never failed to the call of human suffering. Send in your contributions as quickly as possible to the Christian Herald China Famine Fund, Bible House, New York. Every contribution will be acknowledged.

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FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of L. F. Bayless of Concord will be held Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the Concord Christian church. The services will be in charge of former pastor, Rev. W. W. Cann, and interment will be made in Concord cemetery.

Feed Journal Want Ads

Douglas'
Cash Grocery

OUR PRICES HAVE BEEN GREATLY REDUCED

Richelieu Coffees, 5 lb. Box fine Chocolates, Glaced Ginger, Cherries and Pine Apple, Extra Large California Soft Shell Walnuts, California Ripe Olives, Richelieu Pure Maple Syrup, California Cluster Raisins, Smyrna Figs.

Richelieu Fruits and Vegetables

Black Bing Cherries	Gage Plums
Pitted	Sweet Potatoes
Bartlett Pears	Green Beans
Yellow Cling Peaches	Wax Beans
White Royal Arm	Asparagus Stalks
Cherries	(Peeled)
Apricots	Superfine Peas
Prepared Prunes	Early June Peas

RICHELIEU OLIVE OIL
One Quart and 4 Quart Tins

Home Made Mince Meat

Fresh Vegetables Dressed Chickens
Fresh Oysters

MISS STELLA McCURLEY IS DECEMBER BRIDE

Woodson Young Woman is Bride of Samuel Dana Dean of Murrayville — Ceremony Took Place at Home of Bride's Parents Near Woodson Wednesday Evening.

A very pretty home wedding was solemnized Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William E. McCurley near Woodson, when their daughter, Miss Stella Louella, became the bride of Samuel Dana Dean. The ceremony was performed by Dr. G. W. Miller, assisted by Rev. I. H. Fuller, pastor of the Woodson Christian church. The wedding march was played by the bride's sister, Mrs. Mabel Blimling.

The bride and groom entered the parlor as the wedding music sounded, and stood beneath a beautifully decorated arch from which was suspended a wedding bell and two white horseshoes. The parlor was tastefully decorated, a color scheme of green and white being carried out.

The bride was attired in white satin with pearl trimmings and carried a large bouquet of white roses. The ribbon bearers, Lenore Louise McCurley and Marjorie Eloise Blimling, nieces of the bride, were dressed in white silk gowns with pearl trimmings. The bridesmaid was Mrs. Amos McCurley and Mr. Vertrees Blimling the best man.

Following the ceremony an elaborate wedding supper was served to relatives and intimate friends of the bride and groom. The cutting of the bride's cake was an interesting event, Amos McCurley receiving the dime, Myra Dean the thimble, William David McCurley the penny, Mrs. Charles Dean the ring and Mrs. Louella Henry the darning needle.

The young people were the recipients of a large number of gifts, attesting the esteem in which they are held by their friends.

The bride is the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McCurley. She is a graduate of Murrayville high school and for several years has been a successful teacher in the schools of the county. She is a member of the Woodson Christian church and is very popular in her home community.

Mr. Dean is the son of Mrs. Susan Dean of Murrayville and is a young man who is highly regarded by all who know him. He has for some years been engaged in farming operations, in which he has been very successful.

After March 1 Mr. and Mrs. Dean will be at home on the old McCurley farm east of Woodson. They begin their wedded life under most happy auspices.

Among those present at the wedding were: Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Fuller, Dr. G. W. Miller, Mrs. Sarah McFall, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dean and family, Mr. and Albert Dean and family, Mrs. Susan Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Dean and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Blimling and family; Mr. and Mrs. Amos McCurley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCurley and family, Mrs. Louella Henry.

HE BOUGHT A NASH
One 1918 Nash touring car, in beautiful condition, priced to sell quick. See this.

REXROAT & DEPPE
Opposite City Hall

Herman Lippert of Concord was trading with local merchants yesterday.

New Year's Eve Ball, K. C. Hall, Dec. 31. I'm going. Are you?

MISS CARRIE CURTIS WEDS W. J. HENDERSON

Young Woman Employed at School for Blind United in Marriage to William J. Henderson of Roodhouse.

Manchester, Dec. 30.—Miss Carrie Curtis of this place and Mr. William J. Henderson of Roodhouse were united in marriage at Jerseyville, Monday, Dec. 27. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Ella Curtis and has spent her entire life in this community, with the exception of the past few years, when she held a position at the school for the blind in Jacksonville. She is highly esteemed and respected by a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Henderson, residing near Roodhouse, and is an enterprising farmer. After a brief wedding trip to St. Louis, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Henderson will establish their home on a farm near Roodhouse.

MATRIMONIAL

Yates-Porter. Oscar Yates and Miss Cecilia Porter, both of this city, were united in marriage at five o'clock Thursday afternoon, the ceremony being performed by Justice C. O. Bayha at his office on West State street. The witnesses to the ceremony were Mrs. Eugene Trumbo and Miss Edna Weir. The groom is a laborer by occupation and he and his bride will make their home in this city.

Be with your friends New Year's Eve at K. C. Hall, Dance.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs Thomas Armstrong is confined to her home, 730 South West street by an attack of lagrippe.

Mary E. Hobbs of 356 East Lafayette avenue who has been quite ill is reported as improving. The company included Misses Lou Duncan, Lillian Gruber of Jacksonville, Misses Watson, Irene Austin, Blanche Harvey, Grace Hill, Eunice Armstrong, Helen Massey, Martha Tranbarger, Lillian Tranbarger, Grace Armstrong, Mrs. Henderson, Messrs. Richard Whalen, Charles Echols, Porter Armstrong, Russell Wynn, Cecil Doyle, Jerome Ryan, Frank Hocking.

NEW YEAR'S GIFT TO WOMAN'S COLLEGE

President Harker Receives Check for \$2,500 From Friend In East.

That was a fine New Year's present that came to Illinois Woman's College in Thursday afternoon's mail, a check for \$2,500. This gift from a friend of the college in the east was accompanied by a letter to Dr. Harker expressing earnest friendship for the college and belief in the future of the institution.

It is gifts of this kind—such evidences of faith—that help keep up the courage of college presidents and aid them in the forward march.

The Shirts on sale at half price by FRANK BYRNS Hat Store were not bought for special sale, but are the Fast Colors Faultless Fitting Shirts always carried by this firm.

Social Events

Entertained Camp Fire

Members of the Walohi Camp Fire Girls were entertained Thursday afternoon by Miss Rachel Hall at her home in South Jacksonville. The program of games was greatly enjoyed, and the refreshments served added to the pleasure of the occasion.

Miss Dorothy Sargent Entertained for Guests

Miss Dorothy Sargent entertained at her home in Franklin, Thursday evening a number of young folks in honor of Miss Alice Ross of Jacksonville and Miss Addie Ross of Elgin, Ill. The time was spent in games and music, after which delicious refreshments were served.

Gave Party for Andrew Russel, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Russel entertained at their home, 1109 Mound avenue, Thursday night in honor of their son, Andrew Russel, Jr., who is a student at St. John's Military academy, Delafield, Wis. The home was very prettily decorated in a way to suggest the holiday season. The young people enjoyed an informal dance and program. An excellent supper was served.

Hustlers Give Jumble Party

Members of the Hustlers class of Westminster church Sunday school taught by Mrs. J. T. Gunn, gave a party Thursday night at the home of Billy Walton, who is one of the class. Members of Miss Eleanor Moore's class in the Sunday school were present as guests. It was a jumble party as the young people enjoyed the addition of \$21,000 insurance would be wise, in view of the much higher cost of materials and labor now by comparison with the values when the insurance was originally taken. They had the feeling also that as the county is now considerably behind in its current funds, that it was not a good time to take chances on any heavy fire loss.

Party for Sunday School Class

The boys in Mr. George Douglas' Sunday school class at Christian church, went hunting Wednesday and brought back a fine bunch of rabbits. Last evening Mrs. George A. Crist, Mrs. Mae Pitt and Miss Marie Finney prepared a fine rabbit supper for the boys and they had a jolly party eating the spoils of their day's trip and enjoying a social hour afterward.

Gave Holiday Dance

One of the most delightful social functions of the season was given last evening when Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lukeman entertained at a dance given at the Colonial Inn. Holiday greens artistically decorated the inn and Dunlap's orchestra furnished the music for the evening. A distinctive feature of the evening was a solo dance, very artistically given by Miss Catherine Baum, sister of Mrs. Lukeman. Novel favor dances also added variety to the charm of the event. A delicious supper was served during the evening.

Baptist S. S. Teachers Are Entertained

The teachers in the beginners department of the First Baptist Sunday school were very pleasantly entertained Thursday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock at the home of the superintendent, Mrs. Gertrude Richardson. The hostess was assisted by Miss Marie Mayer, who is the assistant superintendent of the department.

Games and contests were features of the afternoon, and some time was devoted to discussing plans for work for the coming year in the beginners department. Refreshments of a suitable kind were served by the hostess.

The young women present were Misses Irene Smith, Ruth Easton, Eleanor Ludwig, Helen Baird, Edith Stewart and Marie Mayer.

Party at Franklin Home Thursday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Tranbarger entertained a company of young people Thursday evening at their home in Franklin. The guest list included the members of the cast of "Cranberry Corners," the play given recently by the young people of the Franklin Christian church.

The evening hours were most pleasantly spent, rook and other games furnishing the amusement. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess before the hour for parting came.

The company included Misses Lou Duncan, Lillian Gruber of Jacksonville, Misses Watson, Irene Austin, Blanche Harvey, Grace Hill, Eunice Armstrong, Helen Massey, Martha Tranbarger, Lillian Tranbarger, Grace Armstrong, Mrs. Henderson, Messrs. Richard Whalen, Charles Echols, Porter Armstrong, Russell Wynn, Cecil Doyle, Jerome Ryan, Frank Hocking.

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MISS BANCROFT TO BE FEBRUARY BRIDE

Engagement to Harold E. Swain Announced at Delightful Party Given by Mrs. H. H. Bancroft Thursday Afternoon.

At a charming afternoon affair given yesterday by Mrs. H. H. Bancroft at her home on Westminster street, the engagement of Miss Lora Bancroft to Mr. Harold E. Swain, was announced. About twenty-five of Miss Bancroft's most intimate friends were present and altho the engagement of the young people had been informally known for some time most of those present, were unprepared for the announcement.

Strings of small red hearts used as decorations set the guests to wondering if Dan Cupid had not been at work and when the refreshments were served and each guest found a miniature envelope perched on her ice cream it was felt that surely the secret would be found inside. However, the envelope bore only a little card with a verse and it was not until small white cakes were passed bearing in red letters the inscription, L. B. and H. S., February 1921, that the secret was out.

Miss Bancroft is the popular daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bancroft of Prospect street, a graduate of the Jacksonville High school and a former student of Illinois College where she was a member of Gamma Delta society.

Mr. Swain is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Swain of Sinclair, a graduate of Illinois College, where he was a member of Sigma Pi. Mr. Swain is an ex-serviceman having served in the U. S. navy during the war. Both young people are well known and popular in the younger set and their approaching marriage will be an important event of the coming year.

NOTICE
On and after January 1 my store will be run on a strictly cash basis. All accounts are now due.

CHARLES CURTIS.

PROTECTION OF COURT HOUSE PROPERTY

As already noted, the county commissioners have recently increased the amount of insurance carried on the court house to \$90,000. The amount previously carried was \$69,000. The commissioners decided upon reviewing the situation that the addition of \$21,000 insurance would be wise, in view of the much higher cost of materials and labor now by comparison with the values when the insurance was originally taken. They had the feeling also that as the county is now considerably behind in its current funds, that it was not a good time to take chances on any heavy fire loss.

WANTED
Girls for wrapping butter; no experience needed. Apply in person. Supt. Swift & Co., produce department.

LICENSED TO MARRY
Oris Gray, Franklin; Ula Yeck, Concord.

Oscar Yates, Jacksonville; Celia Porter, Jacksonville.

Miss Anna Brown, who is connected with the manual training department of the Chicago schools, is here for a holiday visit with Miss Laura White.

FUNERAL NOTICE

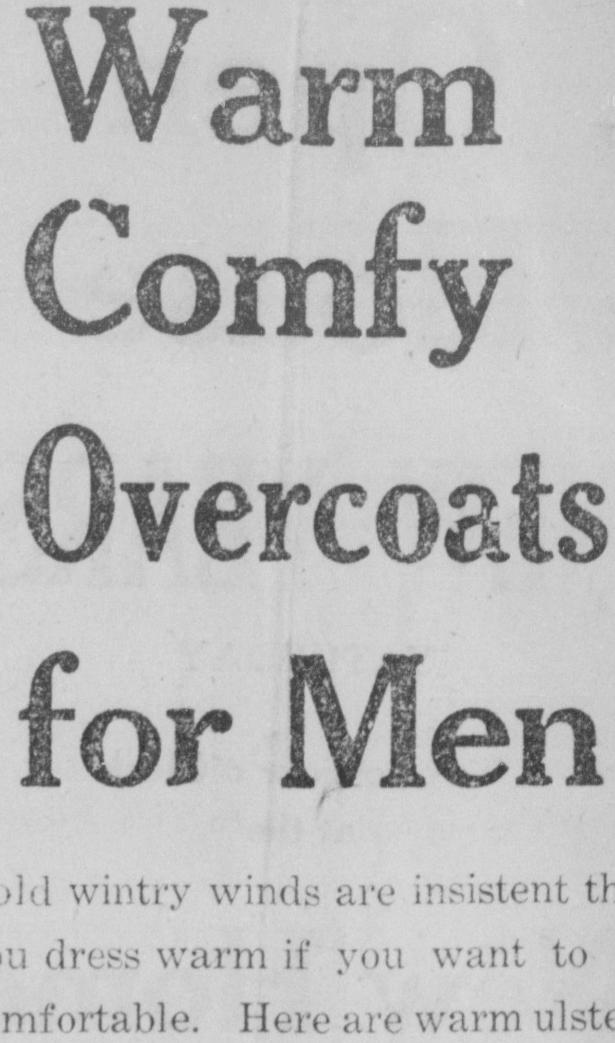
Funeral services for Frank D. Downs will be held Friday morning at 10:30 at the family residence, 861 Goltra avenue. The Rev. Myron L. Pontius will officiate and burial will be made in Jacksonville cemetery.

WILL HOLD ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING

The Union Baptist church of Pisgah will hold its annual meeting Saturday, Jan. 1, at 7 o'clock.

Regular business meeting Union Baptist church Sat. night, Jan. 1st. Members urgently requested to attend. Lunch served.

We Close All Day New Years



REVISED PRICES
Heavy Sweater Coats—Wool Underwear—Wool Hosiery—
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DINE for a DAY for a DOLLAR CORNED BEEF and CORNED BEEF HASH Reduced Again

TRY THIS RECIPE

Sufficient for a family of four
Canned Corned Beef With Creamed Cabbage

2½ cups Wap Dept., canned corned beef

1 head of cabbage, about one pound

1 teaspoon salt

Pepper and Paprika

1 cup cream sauce

Cut the cabbage into small pieces and cover with cold water for thirty minutes; drain and cover with boiling water and boil thirty to thirty-five minutes in uncovered vessel. Drain and cover with cream sauce seasoned to taste. Mix well and boil three minutes.

While the cabbage is cooking the canned corned beef is heated in the can.

The canned corned beef is put in center of platter and the creamed cabbage around the

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Cast metal Table Lamp, new, and equal to anything you would find at \$12.50.....	\$ 7.00
Art glass dome equipped for gas, bead fringe, little used. New price \$17.50.....	5.00
New Method Gas Stove, 4 burner top, used three weeks. Cost \$35.00—A new stove at half price.....	19.50
No. 16 standard make heater, in fine order—Used one season. Original cost \$40.00.....	22.00
New 2-in. post beds, regular \$18.50 values.....	15.00
New \$12 rockers, samples, 1-3 off.....	8.00
9x12 Genuine Congoleum Rugs.....	18.50
4 burner almost new Perfection oil cook stove at ½ new price.....	15.00
Period dining room suite, large buffet, pedestal 8-ft. table, leather seat chairs, just like new, but has been used. Cost \$285.00. This week.....	125.00
Mission half clock, like new; \$20.00 value. Guaranteed to keep accurate time.....	9.75

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January Sale
Suits
and
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These Suits and Coats Emboddy all the

very newest in line, in materials and in trimmings. You will appreciate the soft, lovely fabrics, the beautiful shades and the charm of the Fur and the trimmings. In view to clearing all racks this month we have greatly lowered the prices, thus effecting a great saving on each COAT and SUIT and we believe these garments the best value you will find this season.

C.J. Deppe & Co.**FINE PROGRAM AT
EAST GREASY SCHOOL**

Pupils Carried Out Excellent Christmas Program Recently—Goose Dinner at William Hart Home — Other Zion Neighborhood News.

Miss Lucy Lawless teacher of East Greasy School and her pupils assisted by several young people of the neighborhood gave a box social and excellent entertainment last Wednesday evening at the school house. In spite of the bad weather and roads a good crowd was present. Besides the program rendered by the school children a play entitled "The Laughing Cure" was given by the following characters:

Ralph Riggs, Jerome Langdon, Edward McGrath, Glenn Durham, Mabel Bolton, Ivy Riggs, Alice Matthews, Lucy Lawless, Marie Langdon, Music by Mary Blakeman. The sum of \$49 was realized from the sale of boxes which were auction off by Colonel Stanley Day.

Prizes were awarded to Miss Irene Garvin for the most popular young lady and Col. S. Day for the ugliest man.

Mrs. Jessie Corrington spent a few days last week visiting her new grandsons that have arrived at the homes of R. H. Corrington and Terry Rousey of Jacksonville. Charles Kidney of Peoria is visiting friends in the neighborhood this week.

William Hart spent Monday evening at John Maloney's. Mr. and Mrs. William Hart and Roy Passage attended "Deacon Dubbs" at Murrayville last Tuesday evening.

Maurice Hart and Little niece Martha Pauline Hart spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Maloney.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hall and children spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Hart.

Van Seymour and Miss Lydia Hart spent Saturday night at the home of the latter's brother William Hart.

Miss Faye Greenwalt of Manchester spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wagstaff.

Mrs. Henry Ozburn and Mrs. Virden Wagstaff were Jacksonville callers last Tuesday.

A Happy and Prosperous New Year to the Journal Company and its readers.

S. A. Passage was a Jacksonville caller Friday.

Mrs. Dollie Carman spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Barber.

Mrs. Mary Barber and children spent Friday evening with Mrs. George Durham.

Mrs. Chester Barber and children and Miss Hazel Hayes took Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carman.

See Bert Killam about fire insurance, representing old line American. Bell phone 758. J. E. McGuire.

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Lots of "Jining" going on these days. If a relative or "gentleman friend" happens to be one of the "Jiners," an "Emblem" will be an appreciated gift.

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Diamonds, Loose and Mounted

**Farm Bureau
Notes****Critical Seed Corn Situation.**

Our farmers realize that good seed corn will be scarce next spring. L. A. Reed thinks that some arrangements ought to be made for the farm bureau to get control of some of the good cribs of old corn yet in the county for the purpose of supplying the farmers with dependable seed next spring. Good seed is decidedly scarce in the present crop.

Sale of Seed Corn.

Seed corn sold or offered for sale in lots exceeding 10 pounds requires according to law a special label or tag. This label should show the full name and address of the seller, the commonly accepted name of the variety, the name of the county in the state where it was grown. The farm bureau aims to keep a supply of labels that conform to this law.

Morgan County at Galesburg

The State Durco Breeders association is arranging an unusual sale at Galesburg on January 4. Fifty of the best herds in the state have been visited and a herd sow selected from each herd for this sale. L. A. Reed herd of this county is among the first fifty and will be represented by a choice individual. The fact that Mr. Reed herd is included among the fifty best herds in the state reflects credit not only upon Mr. Reed, but upon the entire county.

Waverly Plans Community Meet-

As previously announced community meeting for farm bureau members will be held in every large community center during January and February for the purpose of developing a program of work and learning just what service members wish to get from the farm bureau. J. A. Brown, township chairman of 13-8 have arranged for a big meeting on the afternoon of January 5th. This meeting will be held in the Waverly opera house.

Special Farm Bureau Committees

At a special meeting of the farm bureau Pres. C. S. Black appointed O. A. Rohrer, C. H. Gibbs, H. E. Kitner and C. R. Gibson a special committee to arrange for a county agent for the year 1921 and L. A. Reed, W. H. Crum, C. L. Hawker and J. W. Arnold a special committee to procure an assistant.

Livestock Survey.

Blank reports for a livestock survey have just been mailed from the farm bureau office to 250 representative Morgan County Farmers asking them to furnish information concerning the number and quality of livestock on the farms at present, so that the livestock marketing department may work intelligently on a plan for stabilizing prices. Four such reports will be called for this year. We expect to have these reports in by January 8th.

APPLES

All varieties in barrels or bushels.

Ganos, bushel \$1.50.
Grimes Golden, bu. \$1.50.
Baldwins, Gano, Jonitons, Winesaps and Grimes Goldens in barrels.

Sweet cider 50c gallon.
This lot made from Grimes Golden apples. Both phones. W. S. CANNON PROD. CO.

ZION

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bracewell and children took Christmas dinner with Mrs. Bracewell's brother William Wade and wife of Murrayville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wagstaff spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Spencer near Roodhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. William Still spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Emory Newby of Murrayville.

Miss Loretta Maloney of Jacksonville spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Maloney.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hart entertained a few relatives and friends at a goose dinner Christmas day. Those present were: Miss Lydia Hart of Prentice, James Gibson of Jacksonville, Van D. Seymour of Nortonville and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Passage and son, Roy.

Dr. J. H. Spencer of Murrayville was called to the home of George Durham Friday to see their little son who was quite ill. He is resting easier at this writing.

ELM GROVE

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hamel and son Harold spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Flagg and family.

George and Kate Moore visited at Walter Lewis' Christmas day.

Miss Nellie Quigg is spending the holidays at her home near Virginia.

Misses Ruth and Irene Hamel and Kathryn Lewis spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Bertha Welsh.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Potter entertained their children and families at a duck dinner Christmas day, all being present except Mr. and Mrs. William Herring who were detained at home on account of the illness of their little son.

Mrs. Ross Stainsforth and son Clement spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Ragan.

Mrs. E. L. Hamel and son Billie and Mrs. Walter Lewis were callers in Jacksonville Thursday.

Mrs. Will Hanson spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Potter and family.

Misses May and Elizabeth Welsh visited Miss Bernice Hamel Friday afternoon.

A Happy New Year to all.

MORGAN

Morgan, Dec. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kendrick and daughter, Clara were Jacksonville shoppers Wednesday.

George Coulson had business in Jacksonville Wednesday.

John Anderson had business in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Williams attended the funeral of Mr. Smithson in Winchester Wednesday.

Mrs. Alfred Anderson was a Jacksonville visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Edna Hutchins, who is teaching at Kewanee, is spending the holidays with her parents near Griggsville.

Clyde Williams and family ate turkey dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Oaks Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Callaway have purchased the Mrs. Kate Sweetart farm south of Morgan and will move there in the near future.

Mrs. Chas. Kendrick and daughter are spending the holidays with her parents near Mt. Sterling.

Chas. Drake wife and son were shoppers in Jacksonville Wednesday.

The pupils of Miss Esther Grant gave a program at the Bethel school Friday afternoon.

John Osborne spent Wednesday night with Chester Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Robbins of Chambersburg are visiting with their son and daughter, Lee Robbins and Mrs. Walter Grady and families.

Irv Coulson was a business caller in Bluffs Monday.

FOR SALE

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(Continued from Last Sunday)

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We like people whom we can trust. We are more apt to do business with people whom we know are kindly and trustworthy than with strangers. Sometimes, however, we meet strangers who are very worthy and, after we know them, we trust them and get a great deal of pleasure from their association. A firm is like an individual. We go to a new shop with a good deal of misgiving. If the shop makes good we go back again and again. This is a secret of the success of our policy of always keeping our customers. We give you what you wish, practically in every instance on your own terms, and we deal with you in a personal way that appeals to honest, thrifty people. In addition to this we carry for you only the best. The Peoples is setting a standard in this city.

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We Carry a Full Stock of Carburetor Parts.

INTERESTING NEWS NOTES FROM MEREDOSIA

Many Holiday Visitors at Meredosia Homes—Fine Program Presented at Lutheran Sunday School — Other Meredosia Items.

Meredosia, Dec. 30.—Miss Nelle Ritscher and F. W. Deppe of Springfield spent Saturday and Sunday with A. E. Ritscher and wife.

Miss Corine Farrell returned to her home in Augusta Friday where she attended the funeral of her grandmother.

Miss Lena Pfanninger is spending the holidays with home folks in Milton.

Robt. Freeland and wife and two children of Oakmount, Penn., came Friday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. L. H. Wegehoff of Beardstown is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Texa Summers. Mr. Wegehoff came Sunday and gets a five days vacation which he will spend here.

Roland Crum and Miss Ethel Butcher of Beardstown were

guests of the latter's parents Saturday.

Alvin Unland, wife and son of Beardstown were week end guests of relatives here.

Mrs. Lena Orr of Bloomington is spending the week here with home folks.

Mrs. Lottie Harwood of St. Louis is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hale.

Edgar Beeley, wife and son Homer of Arenzville spent Christmas day with the latter's parents.

W. A. Schmitt and wife and daughter, Madeline, were guests of relatives in Quincy Saturday and Sunday.

L. F. Berger wife and daughter, Gwendolyn, Deloise Harms spent Sunday with Howard Robinson and family in Versailles.

Marsailles Hagel of Mt. Sterling visited friends here Sunday.

Israel Hale and family of Dawson City have moved their household goods into the McAllister property.

Earl Pond and wife of Beardstown spent Christmas with home folks.

Esther Yaekle and brother, Frank, are spending this week with their sister, Mrs. Harry Tibbs in Flora.

Miss Aileen Baur of Newton, Iowa, is spending vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bauer.

Mike Cody left Tuesday for Jacksonville to spend a few days and from there expects to go to Neosho, Mo.

Horace Turnham returned to Pittsburgh, Pa., after several days visit with his mother, Mrs. Mollie Turnham.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steamer and Mrs. Elsie Moss spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

Frank Korsenmeyer and sister, Ruth, visited in Springfield from Saturday until Monday.

W. D. Meir and wife, Adam Leonard and wife and Clyde McAllister and wife were guests of Jack Maines and wife in Bluff's Christmas day.

J. W. Peters and family spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's parents in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Mary Bolyard and daughters, Rachael and Helen visited with the former's daughter, Mrs. Henry Wax in Jacksonville Saturday and Sunday.

W. D. Cody and wife of Jacksonville spent Christmas with the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Coden.

Mrs. P. S. Hodges visited Saturday with her mother in Concord.

William and Martin Fuelling were callers in Versailles Monday.

Russell Brockhouse and Miss Esther Collins motored to Winchester Saturday and were guests of the latter's parents.

Program at Lutheran Church.

The following program was given by the pupils of the Lutheran Sunday school at their church Friday evening to a large and appreciative audience.

Joy to the World—Congregation.

Scripture and prayer—Pastor Rev. Heidenrich.

Recitation—Marie Keck.

Recitation—Elizabeth Sumpfer.

Recitation—Gilbert Hinner.

Recitation—Harold Schroeder.

Recitation—Josephine Peters.

Recitation—Orville Heitbrink.

Recitation—John Peters.

Instrumental Solo—Corista Kennett.

Recitation—Fred Heitbrink.

Recitation—Hubert Unland.

Dialogue—Alleane Unland and Cora Jeanett Kennett.

Instrumental Duet—Mrs. Chas. Wegehoff and Mrs. Paul Seiving.

Recitation—Howard Edlin.

Recitation—Gilbert Stienberg.

Song—Pearl and Helen Hedrich.

Recitation—Lucian Edlin.

Recitation—Alvin Heitbrink.

Recitation—Percy Edlin.

Song—Choir.

Dialogue—John Howard, Hubert and Gilbert.

Exercise—LaVerne, Cora Jeanett, Corista and Allean.

Reading—Leta Schaefer.

Song—LaVerne, Corista, Allean and Cora Jeanett.

Recitation—Corista Kennett.

Song—Choir.

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"LIGHTHOUSE NAN" A THREE ACT COMEDY DRAMA "Lighthouse Nan" a comedy drama in three acts will be presented at Colton's hall in Woodson on Tuesday evening Jan. 4th, 1921 at 7:15 o'clock.

The following characters will be seen in the play:

Hot John Enlow, President of Seacoast Banking Co.—J. C. Colton.

Ned Blake, his private secretary—F. C. Fitzsimmons.

Ichabod Buzzar, the old keeper of the lighthouse—F. J. Henderson.

Sir Arthur Choke, a British aristocrat—Harry Craig.

Tajun Jim, a bad man—N. H. Crain.

Nan, a little roustabout—Miss Marguerite Stelametz.

Moll Buzzar, the gentle antelope—Mrs. F. J. Henderson.

Hon. Sarah Chumley-Choke, Arthur's Sister — Mrs. Nettie Ezard.

Hortense Enlow, a city belle—Miss Myrtle Shelton.

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Reserved seat tickets on sale after 12 o'clock Friday at McAllister's store.

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Music will be furnished by the

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ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM GREENFIELD

Various Festivities Marked Holiday Season — Mrs. Lela Burnett Leaves for Pasadena, Cal. —Other Greenfield News.

Greenfield, Dec. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. George Coates are the proud parents of a son, second child born last Tuesday.

The pupils of Pleasant Hill school east of town gave a splendid Christmas program Friday afternoon which showed the capable work of their teacher, Mrs. Donald Piper. A Christmas tree and Santa Claus were very much enjoyed by those present. Lurton Tucker acted as Santa Claus.

Mrs. Helen Ford and children went to Lynnville Friday to spend the Christmas holidays with her father, Frank Masters and family.

The grade pupils gave an entertainment at the opera house last week entitled Christmas with the Old Woman in the Shoe. They realized about \$100 to pay on their piano fund.

Greenfield has a community Christmas tree in the park this year. It is beautifully decorated and it is lighted each evening this week with electricity. It was used in connection with the Christmas program given by the grade pupils part of which was given in the opera house.

The three protestant churches held a union Christmas program at the M. E. church Christmas evening.

The Christmas music was led by Rev. Miss Goodsell of the Baptist church.

Song—Presbyterian choir.

Prayer—Rev. N. L. New.

Piano—Solo—Date B. Haven.

Christmas Talks—Rev. J. R. Armstrong, M. E. pastor and Rev.

N. L. New, Presbyterian.

Piano Solo—Helen Hill.

Dialogue—Iren Hill.

Reading—Looreen Smith.

Violin Solo—Berice Holback.

Vocal Trio—Mrs. Harlan Edwards, Mrs. J. R. Stickel and Miss Esther Henderson.

The M. E. Sunday school gave a Christmas program and pageant Sunday evening, entitled "The World's Christmas Fireplace," for the benefit of the women and children of Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones of Kansas City, Mo., are spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Melvin are enjoying a visit from Mrs. Inez Melvin and two children of Eugene, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morrow of Aledo, Ill., and Mrs. Hazel Overstock of Denver, Colo., are visiting at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Story.

Mrs. Georgia Haven went to Medora last Monday to visit relatives and to celebrate her 80th birthday on Christmas day.

Shortly after her arrival she

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At the first sign of a cold—a sneeze nature's danger signal—apply Turpo. Turpo is first-aid to relieve cold trouble. It is a combination of the old reliable remedies distilled Turpentine Camphor and Menthol in a clear mineral base. It carries the medication right through the skin to the root of the trouble. Turpo gives immediate relief removing the cause of the trouble without blistering the skin or staining the clothing.

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FOR SALE—A number one good
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FOR SALE—Three Holstein
cows. Good type. F. V. Cor-
rea, 865 East State street.
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FOR SALE—Hand painted china
and cut glass. 408 East State
street. 12-3-1mo.

FOR SALE—Two large sows.
Ill. phone 1572. 826 South
Clay. 12-28-4t

FOR SALE—Anyone wishing
Starks Bros. nursery stock call
at 1261 South East or telephone
Illinois 50-186.

12-31-6t

FOR SALE—One Ford Sedan in
good shape, priced right. En-
quire Cherry's Service Station.

12-31-6t

FOR SALE—Load of kindling
wood. Call Illinois phone
6415. 12-29-6t

FOR SALE—Sewing to do at
home, 1178 N. Diamond.
Address: Bargain care
Journal. 12-30-3t

FOR SALE—To buy second hand
typewriter. Bell phone 754.
12-31-12t

FOR SALE—Modern cottage, well
located. Address C. care
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FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey brood
sow, bred to a thoroed boar.
307 E. Mich avenue. 12-30-3t

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inum log bands for poultry
licene. Barred Rock Cocker-
els. Weber, 320 W. Court.
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FOR SALE—Barn. Inquire John
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49. 12-30-1t

FOR SALE—80 acres, good im-
provements, newly painted,
good orchard, well fenced, 20
acres growing corn, own 40
acres wheat, \$125 per acre, in-
cluding crops, possession at
once. Terms to suit. Phone
F26, Everett Pennell, Mur-
rayville. 12-24-12t

FOR SALE—Boy with wheel to de-
liver papers in afternoon. Call
Illinois phone 341 or 518
North Church street. 12-27-4t

FOR SALE—An experienced girl
for general housework. Ap-
ply 1553 Mound avenue, Ill.
phone 222. 12-23-1t

FOR SALE—Two waitresses at
once. Apply Dunlap hotel.
12-19-4t

CLERKS—(Men, women) over
17, for Postal Mail Service.
\$130 month. Examinations
January 15. Experience un-
necessary. For free particu-
lars, write R. Terry, (former
civil service examiner), 574
Continental Bldg., Washing-
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Prompt attention given to all
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age Co. Frank Eades, Mgr.
12-6-1mo

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send for FREE catalog. Ideal
Trunk & Bag Factory, Spring
Valley, Ill. 12-31-1t

FOR RENT—Two rooms, fur-
nished for light housekeeping;
modern. 353 East St. 12-30-4t

FOR RENT—Two furnished
rooms "Modern" for house-
keeping. 464 So. East St.
12-25-6t

FOR RENT—3 furnished rooms,
346 West Court street.
12-2-tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished
room for two with board, 352
West College avenue.
12-22-12t

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms
for light housekeeping. Bell
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FOR RENT—Large furnished
room, modern house, block
from square, 215 West Col-
lege Ave. (East Porch) Con-
necticut Co., McBride and
Green, 740 E. North St.; Bell
Phone 496, Ill., 1690. 12-28-4t

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished
housekeeping rooms, separate
entrance. Apply 408 East State.
11-29-1mo

FOR RENT—Cottage, South Clay
avenue. T. H. Buckthorne.
12-30-2t

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—I have
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FOR SALE—16 extra good
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FOR SALE—Good horse blanket,
664 S. West St. 12-31-2t

FOR SALE—Residence 867 W.
State street. Mrs. Richard P.
Joy. 12-31-3t

FOR SALE—From good laying
strain choice Barred Rock cock-
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Reasonable priced. Anna Kirk,
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AT CENTENARY CHURCH

A service for everybody begin-
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Happy New Year.

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By JAMES E. BENNETT & CO.
Chicago, Dec. 30.—Futures:
Open High Low Close

WHEAT—

Dec. 30 171 172 170 171

Mar. 1654 1654 1653 1662

May 1612 1612 1609 1614

CORN—

Dec. 30 723 74 71 71

May 74 76 74 74

July 75 76 74 74

OATS—

Dec. 30 471 473 462 461

May 49 491 493 491 492

July 48 481 483 481 482

PORK—

Jan. 23.00 23.15 23.00 23.15

LARD—

Jan. 12.60 12.85 12.65 12.65

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Jan. 11.25 11.40 11.25 11.27

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strong to 75c higher; top load

\$3; stockers steady to weak;

heavy Nebraska cows \$7; good

heifers \$6.75 @ \$7; cannery mostly

\$3 @ \$3.25; calves steady to

120c; top vealers \$12; choice

kinds \$11 @ \$11.50; all other

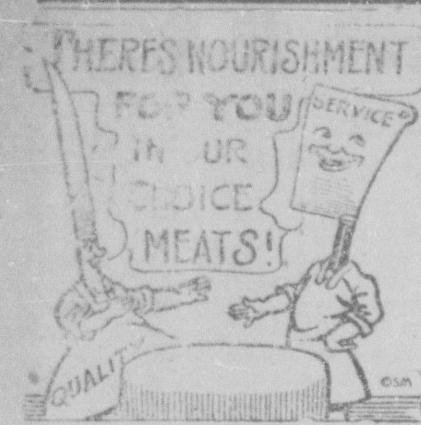
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30x3 1/2 Plain	\$13.50	
30x3 1/2 Rough	\$15.00	\$25.00
32x3 1/2 Rough	\$18.50	\$32.00
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32x4 S. S. R.	\$24.50	\$40.00
33x4 S. S. R.	\$25.75	\$41.00
34x4 S. S. R.	\$26.75	\$42.00
32x4 1/2 S. S. R.	\$33.00	\$45.00
33x4 1/2 S. S. R.	\$34.00	\$46.00
34x4 1/2 S. S. R.	\$35.60	\$47.00
35x4 1/2 S. S. R.	\$37.00	\$48.00
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35x5 S. S. R.	\$42.50	\$58.00
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CLAIMS ALLOWED

The following claims were allowed at the recent session of the county commissioners of Morgan county:

First day, Dec. term, Dec. 20, 1920. County Board opened in regular December session by Sheriff W. H. Weatherford.

Present: Hon. Geo. A. W. Wheeler, chairman; Hon. J. E. Osborne, clerk; Frank L. Mawson, commissioner; W. H. Weatherford, sheriff.

Attest: George L. Riggs, County Clerk.

In the Matter of Election payroll, Election of Nov. 2, 1920.

Expense for election of Nov. 2, 1920, Judges, Clerks, polling places, registration days, canvassing board, etc. Warrants numbered C 1481 to C 1794, inclusive, ordered and hereby allowed in total amount, \$3,183.45.

In the Matter of Claims Allowed.

The following claims hereby allowed as follows, to-wit:

Court House Account

Simeon Fernandes & Son \$ 842.48

Jacksonville Ry. & Light Co. 95.73

Grand Steam Laundry 27.30

Geo. T. Douglas 9.00

Cremoline Disinfecting Co. 30.00

American Brush Co. 9.00

Snyder Ice & Fuel Co. 73.75

W. L. Alexander Merc. Co. 0.50

H. L. & B. W. Smith 3.00

George S. Rogerson 20.00

City of Jacksonville 30.11

Stephens Dunlap 11.90

Vasconcellos & Sons 165.28

Jacksonville Cigar Box Co. 15.50

Jacksonville Farm Supply Co. 1.45

G. V. Skinner 1.09

Kellogg Bros. & Co. 13.80

F. C. McDougall 2.50

R. Haas Elec. & Mfg. Co. 3.10

J. F. Brennan 4.60

A. R. Myrick 6.30

Louis Cady 12.00

Clarence B. Massey 1.50

Burroughs Adding Machine Co. 8.74

The Illinois Telephone Co. 63.70

Gravel Springs Co. 20.63

Electron Account

Geo. D. Barnard Sta. Co. 8 862.41

Jacksonville Journal Co. 4388.85

Jacksonville Courier Co. 477.00

W. E. Bourn 28.00

Florence K. King 15.00

People's Furniture Co. 2.00

Fangist Timmers 5.00

Graham Hardware Co. 80.00

Jacksonville Transfer & Storage Co. 5.00

L. T. Seal 175.00

Charity Account

M. D. Shanahan 65.00

W. F. Cook 104.00

Idakey and Davidson 63.50

George W. Ferreira 14.00

W. C. Howe 14.00

P. J. Shanahan 14.00

John Frank 12.00

Vanner C. & C. House 6.00

Arthur Denny 12.00

W. E. Boston 12.00

B. C. Madison & Son 12.00

D. E. Brown 12.00

Charles W. Olinger 12.00

William D. Meier 12.00

Jay A. Young 12.00

I. H. Cee 4.82

Charles Screno 6.00

W. H. Cocking 15.00

George Nunes 15.00

Frank W. Vieira 15.00

Mary Mandeville 15.00

Samuel Nunes 15.00

Mrs. Elizabeth Pieper 15.00

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The Johnston Agency	15.00	Jacksonville Ry. & Light Co.	15.00	Jacksonville Machine & Boiler Works	34.04
C. O. Massey	5.00	City of Jacksonville	5.00	Continental Auto Ins. Co.	58.50
Mrs. Tillie Smith	5.00	George S. Rogerson	20.00	Berger Motor Co. (duplicate)	12.49
Ben T. Scott	5.00	E. C. Hudgins	3.50	Blind Pension	9.55
W. E. McCurley	8.00	Thomas Duffner	24.50	The Battery Service Co.	5.75
Harrigan Bros.	10.00	W. L. Alexander Merc. Co.	2.95	In the Matter of Application for	2.50
Chicago & Alton R. R. Co.	1.10	Jacksonville Plumbing & Heating Co.	18.03	Board stand adjourned.	1.50
Wabash R. R. Co.	1.10	Fangist Timmers	7.50	Fifth day December term, 1920.	1.50
Gilbert's Pharmacy	6.75	H. Underwood	6.70	Board met pursuant to adjournment.	1.50
Long's Pharmacy	5.30	Kellogg Bros. & Co.	4.80	Present: Hon. Geo. A. Wheeler,	1.50
J. F. Shreve	3.00	Rapp's Harness Store	5.50	chairman; Hon. J. E. Osborne, clerk;	1.50
Coover Drug Co.	1.00	W. H. Weatherford, jailor.	423.00	Hon. Frank L. Mawson, commis-	1.50
In the Matter of County Home Pay Roll.	1.00	Jacksonville Journal Co.	93.33	sioner.	1.50
		Miscellaneous Account		Attest: George L. Riggs, County Clerk.	1.50
		Court House Account		Claims allowed:	1.50
		Carl E. Robinson	25.20	Salary Account	1.50
		H. H. Vasconcellos	143.43	H. Wanamaker \$ 90.00	1.50
		Illinoia Tel. Co.	24.75	J. J. Crowe \$ 80.00	1.50
		Court House Account		Ach. Norris \$ 65.00	1.50
		Central Union Tel. Co.	114.61	W. B. Lowery \$ 120.00	1.50
		City Treasurer, City of Jacksonville	112.05	Charity Account	1.50
		Jacksonville Plumbing & Heating Co.	304.45	Roy Vanpelt \$ 3.00	1.50
		Patrick Hayes	28.00	In the Matter of Issuing War-	1.50
		Road and Bridge Account		It is hereby ordered by the County Board that the County Clerk issue anticipation warrants on the treasury for all claims allowed at the December meeting of the commissioners.	1.50
		Barnier Auto Repair	65	In the Matter of Paying out War-	1.50
		In the Matter of Appointment of Superintendent of County Home.		It is hereby ordered by the County Board that the County Clerk pay effect to January 1, 1921, and that the said George L. Stice prepare to leave said County Home and give possession on said Jan. 1, 1921, and is further notified that his successor has been appointed to take position on said date.	1.50
		Superintendent of County Home services of George L. Stice discontinued.		In the Matter of Semi-Annual Report of W. H. Weatherford, Sheriff and Collector.	1.50
		It is hereby ordered by the County Board that George L. Stice, present Superintendent of the County Home, be notified in writing, according to verbal notice of December 20, that and he is hereby notified that his services as Superintendent of the County Home are discontinued, to take effect Jan. 1, 1921, and that the said George L. Stice prepare to leave said County Home and give possession on said Jan. 1, 1921, and is further notified that his successor has been appointed to take position on said date.		Semi-annual report of W. H. Weatherford, Sheriff and Collector for term ending Nov. 30, 1920, examined and hereby approved and	

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CITY AND COUNTY

Miss Ruby Baxter, who is an instructor in the Danville High school, has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Baxter east of the city.

Miss Ruth Ann Walsh of Peoria is the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Moore of 205 Pine street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Scott have gone to spend New Year's day as the guests of friends at the Leland hotel in Springfield.

Louis and Dan Ward of Sinclair were business callers in the city Friday.

Miss Marian and Ruby Young are spending New Year's in Springfield.

Carey Vice has returned from Peoria, where he has been visiting friends.

Peter Bonsinga and family expect to go to Springfield today to spend New Years with relatives.

"Babe" Stice from west of town called on city friends yesterday.

Orville Smith from the east part of the county sailed on city merchants Friday.

Harry Perry from north of the city called on city friends Friday.

James Guinane was a business caller from Chapin Friday.

W. P. Cox and Edward Story were in the city Friday on business from Pisgah.

Samuel Chalifner was a city caller from Concord Friday.

Floyd Mosley from the south-east part of the county paid city merchants a call Friday.

Robert Hoagland journeyed from Pisgah to the city Friday.

R. Jones was up to the city from Franklin yesterday.

Lloyd Cox from Orleans was a city guest yesterday.

Harry Thompson from east of town called on city merchants yesterday.

Thomas Barber from north of

city called on city merchants Friday.

Leonard Shelton was calling on city friends from Nortonville yesterday.

E. T. Sample of Pisgah paid the city a visit Friday.

Riley Spainhower from Pisgah was up to the city yesterday.

George Snyder traveled from Reese Station to the city Friday.

Arthur Buchanan was a city caller from Pisgah Friday.

Douglas Turley from Concord traveled to the city Friday.

Edward Patterson was a business caller from Joy Prairie Friday.

Curtis Buchanan from Sinclair journeyed to the city Friday.

Those in the city Friday from Strawn's Crossing were Frank Hunter, Byron Cally and Edgar Starns.

W. Coumbs was a business caller from Lynnville yesterday.

H. F. Trotter was here on business from Woodson Friday.

Oscar Branner from the region of Crackers Bend was here on business yesterday.

Van Thompson from Sinclair called on city merchants Friday.

J. B. Strawn was here on business from Yeoman Station Friday.

A. A. Curry was added to the list of Pisgah callers yesterday.

William Richardson from the east part of the county called on local merchants yesterday.

Merv Beddingfield the auctioneer, was a business caller from Crackers Bend Friday.

Paul Hare of Franklin called on city friends yesterday.

Mrs. Milton Stout returned Friday from Streator, Ill., where she has been visiting her parents.

Miss E. L. Megginson of South Bend, Ind., is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Nettie Megginson during the holidays.

Miss Edna Ryan, who is spending the week-end with Miss Mary Clancy, will return to Normal Monday where she will resume her studies.

Miss Margaret and Helen Strandberg, and Miss Helen Baker are spending New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Amos McCurley of Woodson.

Miss Catherine Hines returned Friday from Decatur. She was accompanied by her brother, Paul Hines, who will remain here over New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee D. Harding and daughter of Havana are the New Year guests of Mrs. Anna Harding of this city.

N. W. Kruger of Forrest, Illinoian, is in the city spending the week-end with friends and relatives.

Miss Catherine Hogan is at her home in Chapin for New Year's day.

Gerald Gillian of Monita, Calif., is visiting at the home of his parents on East North street.

Mrs. Fern Haigh is visiting with her sister in Roodhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Fay left Friday for Iron River, Wis., where they will spend ten days at Mr. Fay's home before returning to Dallas, Texas, where Mr. Fay's business interests are located.

Miss Gladys Vanderlip and niece of Meredosia were city shoppers Friday.

Miss Lucy Mount returned Friday from Concord, where she has been visiting her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Hatch of St. Louis are spending the weekend at the home of Mrs. L. K. Hatch on West State street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Ehrone went to Waverly yesterday to visit Mrs. Ralph McCormick over the week-end.

Hiram Daly of Hannibal is spending several days in the city.

J. Carlson was a business visitor from Murrayville yesterday.

Mrs. J. Oliver Cain has returned to her home in Carrollton after visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Lonergan on South Main street.

Mrs. Roy Covington and baby, Muriel G., have returned to their home on South East street after being patients at Passavant hospital.

Richard Oxley journeyed from Pisgah to the city yesterday.

Henry Branden was called to the city on business Friday from Walters, Okla.

Samuel Mills was up to the city from Pisgah Friday.

Lloyd Reese was a business caller from Woodson Friday.

Charles Lynch journeyed from Chaplin to the city yesterday.

Joy Brothers pulled two of Jacob Cohen's trucks in from the country Friday morning, one from Orleans, and the other from Bluff.

Miss Martha Mason, bookkeeper at the Studabaker Service station expects to spend Saturday and Sunday with home folks at Alexander.

Mrs. Lydia Dunnigan returned to her home in Griggsville Friday morning after a few days' visit with her son, J. L. Dunnigan on South Clay avenue.

F. C. Peters and family of Salina, Kansas are spending a few days here.

R. R. Leach was a business caller from Evansville, Ind., Friday.

R. F. Powell of Chicago called on city friends yesterday.

Among the Murrayville callers Friday were Ernest Wood, Harry Cade, Carl Roushey and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carlson.

M. R. Cox from north of town called on city friends Friday.

S. T. Zachary traveled from Orleans to the city yesterday.

Newton Flynn had business in the city from Arnold yesterday.

Louis Mandeville journeyed from Murrayville to the city Friday.

Thomas McGraw was a city caller from Woodson yesterday.

Squire J. B. Beckman was up to the city from Pisgah Friday.

Newton Woods of Franklin was a business caller yesterday.

James Lake was a city arrival from Joy Prairie Friday.

Delay in installing telephones, also a result of war conditions, promises to be done away with, according to the company's claim, which said it was hoped that applications for service may now be cared for without delay.

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FILTER PLANT FACTS HEARD BY ROTARIANS

H. L. Caldwell Gave Interesting Address About Methods Used to Make Filtration Plant Effective.

At the Rotary club luncheon yesterday at the Pacific hotel H. L. Caldwell gave a very interesting explanation of Jacksonville's filtration plant, which will be in operation in the course of the next few months. Mr. Caldwell explained that it is likely that water will be going thru the plant in the course of two weeks but that the supply will not be available for drinking purposes until a later date, as it will be necessary to clean out the reservoir and wash all the mains before the supply is pure and this cannot be done at this season of the year.

President Pontius introduced the guests of the day, who were Charles Franz of Edina, Mo., present with W. L. Fay, and James Tobe formerly of Medora and now a resident of this city, who was the guest of Earl Spink. Vincent Riley was officially designated as delegate of the Rotary club to the meeting of International Rotary in Edinburgh, Scotland, next summer. Mr. Riley made it plain to the club that he was going to this gathering at his own expense. Several of the club members related experiences with Christmas baskets and H. M. Capps and his associates on the Good Fellowship committee were given a vote of thanks for the care taken in carrying the Good Fellowship Continue Goodwill Work

Henry Frisch made the pertinent suggestion that the Good Fellowship movement should not cease with the end of the holidays but that each member of the club should make it his pleasure to keep in touch during succeeding months with the family assigned to him for the Christmas observance.

Informal reports from the committee appointed to proffer co-operation to the county board with any plan worked out with reference to the county home were made by F. J. Heini, Judge Samuel and Vincent Riley.

These men indicated that the county commissioners have definite plans in mind for lessening county expenses in connection with the home, and in fact for a

definite and practical system in caring for indigent persons who may be counted as county wards. Tells of Filtration Plant.

Mr. Caldwell in talking about the filtration plant, explained that the water goes first from the reservoir into the aerating and mixing basin. It passes thru a white pine pipe into this basin which is about 36 feet in general dimensions. Aeration is necessary only during part of the year—that is, the warmer months. From the aerating basin the water flows on into the coagulating basin, which has a capacity of 125,000 gallons and is 33 by 57 feet in its dimensions. This basin is emptied about each two hours. There the water is treated with alum which collects the foreign matter.

The water passes out of the top of the coagulating basin thru a weir where other impurities are automatically skimmed off. Thence the water passes into a pipe gallery and is fed into the filter proper, which is 14.6 feet by 12 feet by 6 feet in dimensions. There the water passes thru gravel and sand on its way to the filter tubs, and thence passes thru the strainer system into the clear well, which has a capacity of 70,000 gallons. It is necessary to wash sand and gravel of a filter at least once in every 24 hours, and this is done by turning the water from the mains for a period of about twenty minutes. The arrangement is such that the pressure from the water will force any accumulated matter into the sewer outlet and will cleanse the sand and gravel.

In the Pump Pit

From the clear well the water goes to the pump pit which is 20 feet below ground level and there it is mixed with chlorine of amount necessary to kill any germs contained in the water.

The filter contemplates a million and a half gallons as the daily consumption of Jacksonville. The size can be increased without great expense if desired. The filtration plant represents an expenditure of \$66,000, the power plant \$45,000, the stock \$6,200.

Dr. Parker, referring to the figures quoted by Mr. Caldwell,

said that the total expenditure for the whole water project would be a little more than \$300,000, and he said that the citizens of Jacksonville had certainly made a fine investment.

Open today 'till noon
The Johnston Agency.

Rev. G. L. Washburn has returned to his home in Lamar, Mo., after visiting his sister, Mrs. Eliza Campbell, Mrs. R. Yates Spears and Miss Sarah Washburn.

SPECIAL
Table d'Hôte
Dinner Today
11 to 2—5 to 8
PEACOCK INN

Roy Scott returned Friday evening from Connersville, Ind., where he spent a week visiting his parents.

Open today 'till noon
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Robert Smith of Woodson called on city friends Friday.

We will be closed all day
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Dinner for Rogerson-Tomlinson Bridal Party.

Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Wolfman entertained Friday evening at a charming six o'clock dinner, the last pre-nuptial affair in honor of Miss Dorothy Rogerson and Edward Tomlinson. Covers were laid at small tables for twenty guests and a delicious four course dinner was served. On each table was a gold crescent pin in pearl setting, the gift of Miss Rogerson to her bridesmaids, and gold cuff links, presented by Mr. Tomlinson to the groomsmen. After dinner the wedding party went to the Illinois College chapel to rehearse the wedding ceremony.

Coterie Club Met
With Mr. and Mrs. Cowdin.

The Coterie club held its regular annual open meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cowdin at Joy Prairie Friday. Sixty-five members and guests enjoyed a delicious dinner at the noon hour. Much credit is due to the committee in charge, Mrs. Harry Onken, Mrs. William Zahn, Mrs. C. H. Cowdin. Miss Esther Dietrich arranged a program consisting of games which was greatly enjoyed by all. The house was prettily decorated in a way so as to suggest the holiday season. After the social hour the company departed, taking with them happy thought and appreciations tendered them.

Murrayville Rebekahs and Odd Fellows Entertain

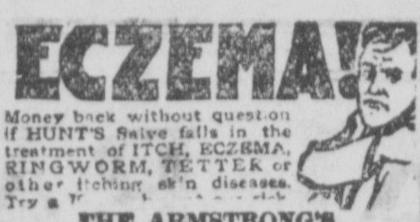
Members of the Murrayville Rebekahs and Odd Fellows and their friends entertained at a watch party at Carlson hall Friday evening. There was a large attendance and the following program was given:

Song—"America"—Audience.
Address of welcome—Mayor J. E. Thompson.
Piano duet—Mrs. C. R. Short and Miss Mildred Wright.
Dialog—"Matrimonial Bureau"—Seed Tick Opera Company.
Song—"Boys' Quartet."
Recitation—"Jack in the Box"—David Fuller.
Song—"Male quartet."
Vocal solo—Charles Fuller, of Detroit, Michigan.
Song—"Mixed Quartet."
Refreshments were served following the program and the ro-

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Will offer at public sale at my residence on the James Bond farm, one mile west of Rees, four miles northwest of Franklin and six miles east of Woodson, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. on

Wednesday, January 5th

The following personal property:

18 Head Polled Durham and Shorthorn Cattle

1 red cow 8 years old, calf at side; 1 red cow 6 years old, calf at side; 4 cows giving milk, 2, 4 and 6 years old; 2 yearling steers and 2 yearling heifers; 6 spring calves and 1 bull calf; 1 thoroughbred bull.

8 Head of Horses

1 heavy draft mare 8 years old; 1 heavy draft horse 12 years old; 1 gray mare 8 years old, in foal by Jack; 1 gray blind mare 15 years old; 1 brown blind mare 14 years old; 1 gray draft filly 3 years old; 2 draft colts coming 2 years old.

16 Head of Hogs Avg. About 200 Lbs.
Farm Implements, Vehicles, Etc.

1 farm wagon, 1 low wagon with frame, 1 8-foot John Deere binder good as new, 1 Oliver gang plow, 1 3-horse sulky plow, 1 mower, 1 roller, 1 harrow, 1 corn planter, - pulverizer, 1 hay rake, 2 pair riding cultivators, 1 corn sheller, 1 hot waterer, 1 tank, 3 iron pumps, 1 30-foot derrick rope, 1 sled, 1 buggy, 1 surrey, 2 sets work harness, 1 set single harness, 100 bales clover hay, 1 kitchen cabinet, 4-burner coal oil stove, 1 heating stove, 1 lawn swing, 1 spool barb wire, some sheep oats in barn and many other articles.

TERMS—CASH. Lunch served by Durbin Ladies Aid

Edward Story

LAWYER SEYMOUR, Auctioneer
CHARLES WHALEN, Clerk

Social Events

Mr. and Mrs. John Boddy Entertain for Nephew

Mr. and Mrs. John Boddy entertained at their home west of the city at a watch party Friday night in honor of their nephew, William Kitner, who is a teacher in the public schools at Louisville, Ky. The evening was spent with games, music and a general good time was enjoyed by the company. Delicious refreshments were served.

New Year's Watch Party.

A number of friends of Edward Joaquin gathered at his home in Spaulding Place Friday evening to watch the old year out and the new year in. Games and dancing furnished entertainment for the evening and at mid-night a splendid supper was served. The guests had even a jollier time than they had anticipated.

Entertained at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hartman entertained at their home in Diamond Court Friday evening at a six o'clock dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Munson of Minneapolis, who are spending several days in the city. The house decorations and the menu were in keeping with the New Year season. A limited number of guests, the most intimate friends of Mr. and Mrs. Munson were present.

Gave Birthday Party.

Mrs. Harrison King entertained a number of little children Friday afternoon at a delightful birthday party for her little daughter, Elizabeth, whose fifth birthday occurred yesterday. The guests were little kindergarten friends of Elizabeth and they spent the afternoon playing games and listening to stories told by Mrs. C. E. Cole and Miss Helen Allcott. The children especially enjoyed the dainty refreshments that were served and they departed after wishing Miss Elizabeth the happiest birthday possible.

Gave Theatre Party for

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Munson. Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Conover and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hartman delightfully entertained last evening at a theatre party given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Munson of Minneapolis. About eight couples of the most intimate friends of the guests of honor attended the theatre after which they went out to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Conover where a delicious buffet supper was served. The guests remained to welcome the New Year.

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Employees of the State School for the Deaf enjoyed a dance at the institution Friday evening. About sixty were present and the evening was spent in dancing and later refreshments were served.

A pleasing feature of the occasion was the presentation of a gold watch chain with Rotary charm and gold knife to Managing Officer White. The presentation speech was made by E. C. Brasel, house father, and Mr. White responded in a fitting manner.

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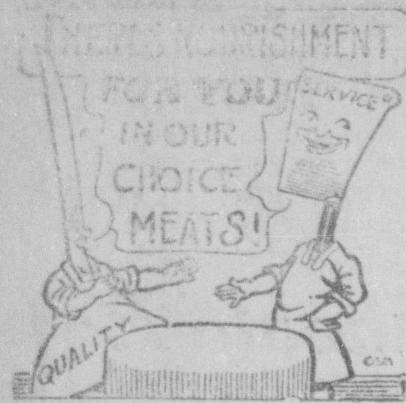
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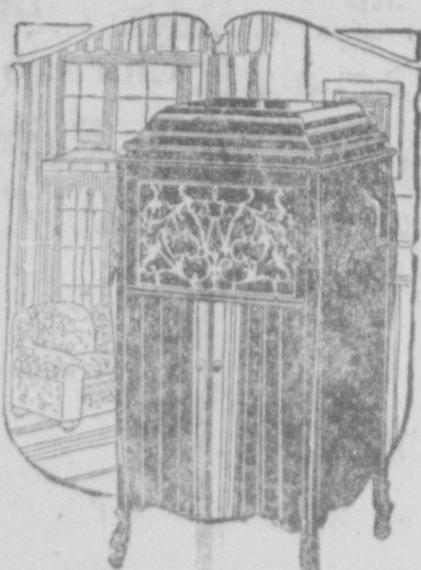
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THE FAMINE IN NORTH CHINA

Paotungfu, Nov. 25th, 1920.
Dear Friends:

We know that you and many other people are keenly interested in the famine conditions which prevail in this great field, to the south, east and west of Paotungfu, and extending on down thru southern Chihli, much of Shansi, Shantung and Honan provinces. It is estimated that more than 20,000,000 are seriously affected.

We have been overwhelmed with work and plans—trying to cope with the situation. The situation is very depressing as well as perplexing. "The poor we've always had with us in our 30 years in China, but such wholesale and distressing poverty I have never seen.

Many tens of thousands have left their homes and gone to the North where the crops are good, but where they have no proper means of subsistence, are poorly clad and have little bedding—now on the approach of the long bitter winter of North China. You may not be surprised at the statement we heard a few days ago, that a thousand of these poor refugees had frozen death in Kalgan, and we are still in November.

Early in September the Red Cross friends gave me \$500, with which to begin relief work. In September we had a good rain of about 3 inches (we had only 3 1-2 inches during the whole previous year). We at once organized our forces and soon got the wheat for seed into good ground. I saw some of it up and growing nicely early in October.

On Sept. 19th we organized all the Protestant Christian bodies in Paotungfu into the "Union Christian Famine Relief Committee of Paotungfu." We gave such an account of ourselves that other friends sent us more funds—including Hon. Liang Shih-I of Peking who sent us \$10,000. In a few weeks we were able to get into the hands of the very poor, but persons who had a little land, yet had no money with which to buy seed wheat, nearly \$17,000 worth of good wheat.

I am confident that nearly all this wheat got into the ground for we worked with the head men of the villages as well as with the county leaders, and they with those who got the grain are responsible for the return of a like amount next harvest. We gave to the needy poor—Christians and non-Christians alike. We gave it as a loan without interest. The autumn has been very favorable for the work. The wheat looks fine and there is a large acreage sown. If we can get these poor people over these months till next June when wheat can be harvested they should get on pretty well. This, however, is a tremendous task.

We need now government schemes and large sums of money to carry on big enterprises where hundreds of thousands of men can be employed. Mrs. Cunningham and others have just finished making for the army 4588 comforters and mattresses.

In this work about two hundred men were engaged for some weeks. Other's are preparing the Hir Net industry, opening large kitchens and such. But the multitudes are unprovided for.

The government is raising money. I am sure that millions of dollars have been contributed by the different organizations and by individuals. Will the government now do something adequate in the way of deepening rivers, erecting of embankments, digging of wells, making of roads etc. We would be glad to do anything we can in the way of securing workmen and assisting in directing them and such.

I have not undertaken to tell you the awful tales of sorrow of which we hear. One man disemboweled himself in our hospital rather than go face the horrors of starvation. Suicides, leaping into wells, forsaking or selling of children are of course common. One man sold his 18 year old daughter for \$18.00, a little afterward he was robbed of all his money. In his distress he hanged himself. His wife learning of his fate took the life of her other two children and then her own. Thus a whole family was blotted out. Tragedies of this sort are happening daily.

The army, now many months without pay, is a great menace. Just last night a company of soldiers in the east suburb of Paotungfu killed their sergeant and ran away with their guns. We hear of most heartless looting in a number of places even within the famine stricken area. Here is sorrow upon sorrow.

Nearly the whole bright side of the terribly black cloud which hangs over us is the fact that crowds are flocking to our chapels. Here we are trying to bring the comforts as well as the claims of the Gospel to these multitudes. They are coming to think of us as their friends of the church as a place of shelter to the weary and heavy laden and they are both. Many in leading positions are much more friendly with us than they were wont to be. We seem to be becoming more thought of as a necessary part of the community than we were before.

Some instances of noble heroism have come to our attention. In some places the more able bodied members of the family gathered all their family store together, and refusing to eat any themselves gave it to the more helpless members while they went out to beg or seek for work which now, on the approach of winter they probably would not find.

The foreign children of Chikungshan (a summer's resort) sent me \$25.00 "For the Suffering Children of Chihli Province"—truly a beautiful gift, through a pretty big order.

The Chinese school boys and girls of Kwaiyuan, Nanshuchow, and Yihshien have sent us considerable gifts, totaling about \$100, while many foreigners, missionaries and others, have sent us letters, gifts, and offers of help in work of distribution. Such things touch the heart.

This is the time when China needs the sympathy and help of all her friends. We dread to think of the long winter months which must pass before the wheat harvest can be reaped.

We can put to good use in life-saving work any and all moneys friends will send to us. Believe me, Yours for China, A. M. Cunningham.

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WILL SPEND REMAINDER OF WINTER IN THE WEST

Mrs. Evelyn F. Brown and Frank J. Waddell expect to leave Tuesday, Jan. 4, for Los Angeles, Cal., where they will join Mrs. Waddell and Miss Frances Waddell, who have been in California for the past three months. The whole party will spend the remainder of the winter in the Golden state, and return to Jacksonville about April 1.

Miss Clara W. Brown is now in Honolulu, Hawaii, where she is spending the winter. She reports that she is enjoying the wonderful tropic climate and also the swimming, for which there are excellent facilities around this island.

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GOLFERS EXPECT TO PLAY INSIDE; FIT UP COURSE

Jacksonville Enthusiasts Secure Room
Over Clothing Store to Carry
Out Scheme.

A number of local golf enthusiasts are at work today fitting up an indoor golf course in the store room above Broeden and Dorand's clothing store. Considering the amount of ground it takes to play regular golf, this would seem next to impossible, but it is not intended to play regular golf on this course.

Four large mats and one small one, which somewhat resemble wrestlers' mats, are used to form the tee from which the ball is driven. A large canvas has been stretched at the back of the room, against which the ball may bound and thus lose its force.

The purpose of the golfers in establishing the indoor course is, to keep themselves in trim during the winter months. In this way they can place all their attention on developing their stroke and on driving the ball. This is especially true, since the golfer does not have to watch to see where his ball goes.

The golfers are very enthusiastic.

over their new course. It may be used at any time, and the beauty of it is that golf on such a course is always in season.

COMPANY B RESUMES DRILL MONDAY NIGHT

After several weeks of inactivity owing to the holidays, members of Company B, the federalized guard troop here, will resume drill practice Monday night. The company will begin work again without the full quota, and the flag is still out for several new members.

Some weeks ago the troop was recruited up to full strength of fifty-three men through the efforts of Capt. Wesley James, on securing operation of the business men. The majority of this number was examined and everything was practically ready for "mustering in." However, two of the men who had signed up as members of the troops joined the regular army and three others moved away from the city. That left the troop with forty-eight members, or five short of the quota.

Capt. James said today that the absence of five men will not affect the future activities of the troop, although he will fill the ranks as soon as possible.

Men between the ages of 18 and 45 who are interested in this organization should communicate with Captain James.

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